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Great Railroad Magnate In Mountains For Rest.

BARRED FROM ALL VISITORS

Business World Regarding Him With Anxiety—Rumor That Judge Lovet, of Texas, Will Succeed Great Railroader.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—Two thousand feet above the sea level at his country estate, near Arden, N. Y., Edward H. Harriman is resting in seclusion tonight. Shielded from business cares, barred from visitors, practically isolated in his mountain home, he disappeared from the public eye in a manner no less dramatic than his display of grit upon his arrival from Europe yesterday. With the click, click of the automatic railway that bore him seated in an automobile to his lofty home last night, he was whisked frov iew like a stage manikan in a toy automobile. Then the curtain dropped and news of E. H. Harriman almost ceased.

It was learned tonight that there was no change in his condition. But aside from this, he is as far away from the American public as he was at Bad Gastein, Austria, with the Atlantic ocean between.

All reports concerning Mr. Harriman's health, his associates made known today, are to come from his offices in this city.

Mr. Harriman has retired in the truest sense of the word for his "after cure" and nothing is to disturb him.

Just as the country eagerly read the cables from abroad concerning the financier's health, debated thereon and bought or sold stock according to its interpretation, so it has gone on since the brief glimpse of him yesterday.

With a weak opening Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, together with New York Central, now classed as a Harriman stock, underwent declines at the outset under rather heavy selling orders. Firmness followed the first losses, but it was only temporary and was followed by even greater declines as trading continued, and by noon nearly all active stocks were off from two and a half to five points.

Bear operators made capital of his interview of yesterday, indicating that improvements rather than dividends would be his aim.

With Mr. Harriman's permanent retirement from the active management of his railroads considered at least a possibility, those of a prophetic turn of mind pick Judge Robert S. Lovett, general counsel for the Harriman lines, as the man to fill his shoes.

Judge Lovett is a native of San Jacinto, Texas, where he was born 49 years ago. After entering the legal field of railroadom in 1884, he became general counsel for the Southern Pacific in Texas. When Mr. Harriman took over this road he picked Judge Lovett as a man of ability and has since advanced him rapidly.

Judge Lovett visited his chief at Arden today, or at least made the journey, whether he conferred with him or not.

OUTLINES.

Paulham, the French aviator, won over the Wrights and broke the world's record in a wonderful flight, in which he remained in the air almost three hours, during which time he passed through a heavy rain storm, at Rheims, yesterday. Curtiss, the American aviator, also made another good flight yesterday.——The American Locomotive Works will increase its capital $5,000,000 in order to keep up with the demand for locomotives.——The Spanish troops in Morocco are advancing on the Moors, but a supply of water for the troops is a serious problem.——At his Summer home, 2,000 feet above sea level, in the mountains of New York, E. H. Harriman, the great railroader, has secluded himself and has barred all visitors. The business world is full of anxiety about his health and it is rumored that Judge Lovett, of Texas, will succeed him.——Evidence in the bank fraud trial in Asheville was concluded yesterday and the arguments will consume the sessions today.——The South Carolina Secretary of State has refused to grant a charter to the C. C. & O. railroad..——New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2, ruling rate 2 1-2, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 12; spot cotton 10 points higher, closing quiet at 12.95; flour about steady with a moderate jobbing trade; wheat, No. 2 red 1.07 nominal elevator, No. 2 red 1.10 1-8 f. o. b. afloat; corn easy, No. 2 80 1-2 nominal elevator, and old delivered 81, No. 2 63 3-4 f. o. b. afloat new; oats unsettled, mixed 41 afloat nominal; turpentine firm 59; rosin steady.

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AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

...s of Legal Argument Based on ...conception of Testimony—Gov...nor Willson Speaks of Diffi...lty of Suppressing Riders.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Detroit, Mich., ug. 25.—The evils of legal argument based on misconception of testimony were touched upon in the address tonight of Justice William L. Carpenter, of Michigan, on "Courts of Last Appeal," before the American Bar Association, now in annual convention in this city. As a remedy Justice Carpenter urged judges to assume a more attentive attitude in court and encourage lawvors to make fair statements.

The address of Governor Augustus Willson, of Kentucky, on "The People and Their Law," was the leading feature of the day's programme. Governor Willson, in choosing as his text the opinion of the United States Supreme Court in the case of Crowley against Christiansen, that "liberty is not unrestricted license to act according to one's own will," entered into an exposition of the Kentucky character and the causes which led up to the recent "Night Riders" troubles in that State and in Tennessee.

Reviewing the hold which the Ku Klux and toll gate wars had had on Kentuckians, he led up to the tobacco war, which produced "night riding" and this he reviewed at length. He sketched the raids of the tobacco law breakers on Hopkinsville, Princeton and Russellville, Ky., and read the chief justice's admonition to the people, "You had better burn every barn in the commonwealth than with uplifted hand in the jury box profane your duties and render an unjust verdict in the name of the law."

The Governor told how this Chief Justice at a conference which Mr. Willson had called on the tobacco growers and buyers, had deprecated the use of soldiers in the night riding troubles, declaring that "you cannot push an idea through an Anglo-Saxon's head with a bayonet."

Governor Willson told of the raids which followed this morning, the barn burnings and of the one Kentucky night riding murder, that of Hiram Hedges, a farmer who was killed one night before his door in Nicholas county. He gave the wording of the blood-curdling night rider oath and read from some of the appeals which he said had come to him from frightened Kentuckians. Mr. Willson declared that his power had been limited to punishing known offenders.

In all o fthe time of the tobacco war, in only a few counties had juries been found that would return indictments against their neighbors who had done the night riding. He said that no more than 300 militiamen had tried to hold back 10,000 organized night riders during the entire trouble.

My promise to the people that they would need no lawyers if they hurt any one in defense of their homes was kept, said the Governor, and there will be no pardons for the crimes of pillage, plantscraping, burning and organized murder But now the people are coming into their own, and I look for trials and convictions, a rare thing up to this time. The politician who parleys with crime in a "straight American State" like Kentucky will be rebuked instantly and woe will come to him. I believe that there can be no renewal of the trouble. The night riders are still unpunished, but no statute of limitations protects them. The murderers of Hiram Hedges are still at large, but the people's law will punish the criminals in time."

A meeting of the committee on patent, trade mark and copyright law was held this afternoon. It was recommended that the bill for the establishment of a United States Court of Patent Appeals, and for other purposes, now awaiting enactment by Congress, receive the full attention of the committee and active support for its passage. The bill has been pending about two years.

LENIENCY FOR MOONSHINER.

President Taft Takes One Year Off Sentence.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 25.—It was announced at the Department of Justice today that President Taft had commuted to one year and one day the two-year sentence at the Atlanta penitentiary of Ed F. Colbert, convicted of perjury in connection with an illicit distillery case. Colbert began his penal service in October last.

The petition for commutation was signed by Senators Clay and Bacon, and several other members of the Georgia delegation in Congress. The signers included Representative Bell, who was present when Colbert was tried. He expressed the opinion that the man had been wrongfully convicted.

INCREASING PROSPERITY SIGNS.

Millions Needed for Manufacture of Locomotives.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—To cover the cost, estimated at $3,500,000 of improvements at the Schenectady, Dunkirk, Pittsburg, and Richmond, Va., plants, and provide more working capital, the directors of the American Locomotive Company today voted to issue $5,000,000 in gold debenture 5 per cent. notes.

NEW AERIAL RECORD

Plucky Frenchman Made Wonderful Flight of Almost Three Hours.

BEAT RECORD OF WRIGHTS

Aeroplane Remains in the Air During Heavy Rain—Paulham is Aviator of the Day—Marvel of Aviation Week.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Bethany Aviation Field, Rheims, Aug. 25.—Another sensational exploit was added to the marvels of aviation week today when Paulham, the plucky French aviator, broke the world's record in a wonderful flight of two hours, 53 minutes and 24 seconds. During 20 minutes of the time Paulham had a heavy rain and windstorm to contend against.

The previous official record for time in the air was made by Wilbur Wright, at LeMans, December 31, two hours, 20 minutes, 24 1-5 seconds.

Paulham's new record for distance was about 134 kilometres or 83 miles. He made thirteen circuits of the course. As he was coming down the home stretch for the last time the dirigible Col. Renard appeared to the westward, plowing its way majestically through the smoke of the city of Rheims When Paulham finally came down it was because the 56 litres of essence, which he carried in his tank was exhausted. He said immediately after he landed that both the machine and the self-cooling gnome motor had stood up perfectly and that he could have continued indefinitely if the tank had been replenished.

Starting in twelve-knot breeze shortly before 4 o'clock with the avowed intention of completing the 50 pilometres before 5 o'clock to bar his less venturesome rivals, who desired to await calmer air, Paulham not only accomplished his or'ginal purpose, but continued to circle the vast plain until his tank was literally empty.

Even when a shower accompanied by a high wind suddenly broke the intrepid pilot did not falter. He battled in the teeth of the rain and wind up one length of the course and the thrilled spectators watched the struggle against the elements in spellbound admiration.

Going down on the wings of the wind Paulham made up for the time lost in fighting against it. Fortunately the storm was of brief duration.

As the time approached when it was evident that he would beat the Wright record the excitement was intense and the crowds rushed out of the tribunes each time he passed, cheering and shouting with words of encouragement.

At one moment there was an enchanting picture, as the aeroplane flated in the limpid blue beneath a beautiful rainbow, while the approaching dirigible, Colonel Renard, was silhouetted against the black clouds banked up on the horizon.

As Paulham in turn broke the time and distance records the jubilation of the spectators was beyond description.

Exhibition flights meanwhile were being given by Sommer, LeBlanc, Latham, Rougier, Tissandier, Bleriot, Gobron and Bunau Varilla and although they offered a wonderfully impressive sight as they heeled and circled about in the gathering dust they were almost forgotten in the intensity of interest as to how far Paulham would go.

Glenn H. Curtiss, the American aviator, made a fast round, lowering his own time for the 6 1-5 miles to 8 minutes 11 3-5 seconds, only 7 1-5 seconds behind that of Bleriot. Paulham is not an aviator but simply an operator, who tonight has taken rank as the world's greatest professional. The belief is unanimous that he won the Prix de Champagne today, although the managers of the Wright machine intimate that they will have a try for it tomorrow. The final day for this event is Friday.

Lefbvre, with a 90-litres tank, went out this afternoon in an attempt for the prize, but the tank developed a leak, and Lefbvre was forced to descend before he had gone 300 yards.

The only incident of the day was the capsizing of Rougier just before dark. Fortunately he was only slightly injured, although his machine was wrecked.

DEATH OF MRS. WILLIS.

Good Woman Passed Away at Hubert. Funeral Held Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hubert, N. C., Aug. 24.—The death of Mrs. W. H. Willis occurred at the family home here today and will be learned of with deep regret by many relatives and friends throughout this section of Onslow county, where she was well known. The deceased was a consecrated Christian woman and a lifelong member of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Willis was in her 56th year and there are surviving a husband and three daughters all of this place. The funeral will be held tomorrow and the remains laid to rest in the family burying ground.

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NAVY WINS MATCH

Won Over The Infantry in National Shoot at Camp Perry.

CADETS' UNFAIR ADVANTAGE

Navy Took National Trophy of $450 and Infantry Made Second Prize—Rapid Fire Scores Thrown Out —Records Made.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Camp Perry, Ohio Aug. 25.—The National Rifle Team match was won by the United States Navy, winner in 1907, by the score of 3,801 ahead of the United States Infantry's winning score last year. The Navy gets the National trophy and $450.

The United States infantry took second prize, $350, with 3,752. Massachusetts third, $300, with 3,727, and the United States Cavalry fourth, $250, with 3,726, three of the four first honors going to service teams who last year took the four.

Ohio was fifth with 3,715; Wisconsin sixth, 3,695; New York seventh, 3,686; Pennsylvania eighth, 3,677; the United States marines ninth, 3,671, and Iowa tenth, 3,651.

The day's sport was marred by an unpleasant incident—the throwing out of the rapid fire score of the team representing the United States Naval Academy. Wisconsin entered a protest with the executive officer Lieutenant Colonel R. N. Evans, general staff, U. S. A., against the cadets' score being counted, on the ground that hte cadets had an unfair advantage in rapid firing because they had filed off or removed the stop pin of their rifle bolts, thus making the bolt action more rapid. The cadets score of 446 was counted as zero, which put them in forty-seventh rank instead of fifth, where they otherwise would have been at that stage.

The winners in classes B and C will receive the following prizes, the members also getting medals as do the winners in class A. Class B—New York, the $3,000 Hilton trophy and $350; Maryland, $250; Connecticut, $225; California, $200.

Class C, Texas first, the bronze soldier of Marathon and $300; Alabama, $200; Georgia, $175, and Tennessee $150.

FAVORS POSTAL SAVINGS SYSTEM

Taft Will Strongly Urge Congress in December Message.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 25.—President Taft indicated in talks with callers today that in his message to Congress next December he will strongly urge the establishment of a postal savings bank system. The President realizes that there is strong opposition to such legislation at this time, and while he does not propose to rush Congress on too many matters at once he will ask that the platform declaration of the Republican party in favor of postal banks be fulfilled as speedily as possible.

Influential members of both the Senate and House are urging that the matter be left over until the monetary commission has made its report and ensuing financial legislation has been disposed of. It has even been said that the relation between the subjects to be dealt with by the monetary commission, and the postal banks is so close that the two should be handled together.

President Taft believes that several hundreds of millions would be placed at the disposal of the Government through postal savings banks.

ROCKINGHAM COMPANY SALE.

Order Signed Transferring Plant to Reorganization Committee.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 25—The formal order in the case of S. Morgan Smith against the Rockingham Power Company and W. H. Browne and W. A. Leland as receivers of the Rockingham Company was signed by Circuit Judge Pritchard today.

The decree directed the confirmation of the sale of the Hydro-Electric property of the Rockingham at Blewitt's Falls on the Yadkin river for $1,000,000 to the reorganization committee.

KILLED ONE; INJURED THREE.

Result of Explosion of Chemical Engine at Brevard—Negro Dead.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 25—A chemical fire engine at Brevard, 30 miles from here, exploded today killing J. P. Aiken, a negro, and injuring four, including fire chief J. A. Galloway, J. W. Chapman, president of the Electric Light Company at Brevard and C. B. Wilson.

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CALLS TAFT POLITICAL TOOL

Senator Tillman Declares His Purpose to Break the "Solid South"—A Stirring Speech to 10,000 "Red Shirts."

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Anderson, S. C., Aug. 25.—Addressing an audience of 10,000 here today, at a reunion of the "Red Shirt" men, who in 1876 wrested the political machinery of the State from the negroes and carpetbaggers, United States Senator Tillman declared that President Taft is the tool of a "great political machine" and that the President's appointment of census enumerators in the South is but a furtherance of his efforts to break the "Solid South." He said the "machine" is preventing Mr. Taft from carrying out his intentions as expressed in his Atlanta speech.

Senator Tillman warned the people of the State against compulsory education, saying that it would prepare the negroes for the ballot and might in time result in their controlling elections in South Carolina.

The reunion today was featured by a parade in which several thousand members of the "Red Shirt" brigades participated, mounted and wearing red shirts. Many women took part in the parade.

VETERANS AT CHARLOTTE.

Scholarly Addresses by Judge Clark and Ex-Governor Jarvis.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 25.—The ideal weather today added no little charm to the opening of the reunion of Confederate Veterans of North Carolina. Everybody awoke this morning in high spirits and ready for the day's programme. There were about 2,000 old soldiers in the line which marched to the Academy of Music to hear the addresses of the morning.

Justice Walter Clark, of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, sounded a new note in his scholarly address today when he declared that as a matter of policy and of legal right, the South should share in the benefits of the pension money about one-third of which it contributes. This idea newly presented, will doubtless be heard from.

The address of ex-Governor Jarvis awoke all of the slumbering patriotism in the veterans and they cheered his every word, as this veteran of war and politics held the close attention of 4,000 listeners.

This afternoon an entertainment by the U. D. C. and the parade tomorrow and barbecue will close the reunion.

SPANISH TROOPS WILL ADVANCE

Water For Troops is Only Serious Problem.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Melilla, Aug. 24.—Expert opinion has been justified, as it has been found impossible to cut the Marchica canal under four months. General Marina, commander of the Spanish forces, is not wasting time in vain regrets and decided to commence the advance, which began today, to resting along the sea front in intense heat. The men, however, appear glad that the long suspense is ended and that the war has really been broken. They displayed excellent spirits and are greatly encouraged by the presence among them of the Duke of Saragossa and the Marquis of Vallecerrato, both of whom are serving as privates and are treated in every respect like the men.

The concentration of the whole army will occupy several days and it is still uncertain when General Marina will start for the front. The commissariat is in good shape but the water supply is a serious problem. Two ships for condensing water are hourly expected.

J. M. BARR ENJOINED BY COURT.

His Company Restrained From Issuing $100,000 in Stock.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 25.—Judge Hanckel has granted a temporary injunction restraining the Virginia Lee Company (Inc.) from issuing $100,000 in preferred stock ahead of its $40,000 in common stock. The injunction was secured hurriedly in an action brought by B. L. Dulany, of Washington, D. C., and John H. Caldwell, of Bristol, Va., common stockholders.

James M. Barr, former president of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, is president of the defendant corporation, which is a mining concern in Southwest Virginia.

NO CHARTER FOR C. C. & O.

Judge Lyon Believes the Act to Be Unconstitutional.—Delayed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Colnmbia, S. C. Aug. 25—Attorney General Lyon has given his opinion that the act under which the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio railroad wishes to obtain a charter is unconstitutional. The opinion does not give a detailed explanation of the matter.

The C. C. & O. applied for a charter about two weeks ago, the Secretary of State temporarily refusing the petition.

Five hundred dollars for a dinner, "with liquid refreshments" to be served at his funeral was among the bequests in the will of the late Albert H. Karutz, filed for probate yesterday in New York. To make sure that his wishes be carried out, Karutz stipulated that heirs who failed to attend the funeral banquet should be disqualified.

HOPE IS DEFERRED

Sailors Overwhelmingly Defeated By Giants Wilson Split Even Yesterday.

TOBACCONISTS IN LEAD

Rocky Mount Takes Game From Raleigh Red Birds by Close Score One to Nothing—League Directors in Session.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 1, Goldsboro 8.
Raleigh 0, Rocky Mount 1.
Fayetteville 1, Wilson 3.
Fayetteville 8, Wilson 2.

Where They Play Today.
Goldsboro at Fayetteville.
Wilson at Rocky Mount.
Raleigh at Wilmington.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	47	38	.553
Wilmington	48	39	.552
Fayetteville	44	41	.518
Raleigh	44	43	.506
Goldsboro	43	41	.512
Rocky Mount	30	54	.357

Wilmington's pennant aspirations were given a considerable jolt yesterday afternoon when the electric matinee at Struthers' flashed out the news that the Goldsboro Giants had jumped all over the overworked pitching staff of the Sailors for a score of eight to one while at Wilson the Tobacconists had done a killing to Fayetteville by taking one end of the doubleheader there.

The pennant hope for Wilmington is just now within the range of possibility but hardly in the probability class, Wilson having five games the remainder of the week with Rocky Mount and Wilmington having to go up against the strong Raleigh team for three games the remainder of the season which ends with the games Saturday. However, the Sailors couldn't be expected to take more than two of the three games on Goldsboro's grounds and they return today as full of ginger as the day they left. Wilmington started off well enough yesterday afternoon when Nichols made the first of his three bingles to centrefield and went to second on passed ball; Guerrant bunted safely to first and stole second, but Capt. Smith fanned and Nichols was out trying to cross the rubber on a muff of third strike by the catcher, Brodie being out short to first. Goldsboro started with Kelly's fly to centre and Epler's safe on fumble of Sharp; Giant Sharp fanned and Crockett was out pitcher to first.

In the second Sharp was out pitcher to first and Brennan was hit by pitched ball and walked, but Kite flew to right and Brennan was out attempting second. Goldsboro started the trouble in its half of the second when Gettig singled to centre and Doak hit to Howard and he threw to second but too late to catch the runner; Goldsboro Smith then hit to Howard who caught Gettig at third, but Stubbe, next up, singled to centre, filling the bases; Pritchard then clouted one to centre for three bases, scoring Doak, Smith and Stubbe, scoring himself on Kelly's single to centre; Epler was up and Sexton was sent in to relieve Howard, who seemed to have an off day; Epler hit to pitcher, forcing Kelly at second; Sharp singled to centre and Crockett flew to right.

Jayes took a stroll in Wilmington's third but Sexton hit to second, who doubled both runners; Nichols singled to centre, but Guerrant was out, pitcher to first. The Giants jumped on Sexton, who had just pitched the day before, in their half of the third. After Gettig flew to right, Doak singled to right and went to second on passed ball; Smith sacrificed Doak to third and he scored on a two-base hit of Stubbe to left; Pritchard hit to short and was safe at first, Stubbe on third, but Kelly was out third to first.

Smith started Wilmington's fourth with a screamer to right and stole second, after which Brodie was given transportation. Ross was then sent in to bat for Sharp and clouted one to centre for two stations, scoring Smith and Brodie going to third, but Brodie, after Brennan was out pitcher to first, was caught between third and home and was out, Ross being also out at second. Epler started Goldsboro's fourth with a single to right and was sacrificed by Sharp but Crockett was out second to first and Gettig on fly to right.

In the fifth Kite was out third to first and Jayes flew to first, after which Sexton went to second on wild throw of short to first, but Nichols flew to second. More were placed on storage by Goldsboro when Doak led off with a two-base hit to centre and was sacrificed to third by Smith, scoring on another single by Stubbe, who scored in turn upon Pritchard's clout to centre for two stations; Kelly and Epler flew to right and left respectively.

In the sixth Guerrant was out to first, Smith fanned and Brodie was out third to first. In Goldsboro's half Wysong relieved Sexton and Sharp and Crockett, the two first Giants to face him, fanned, but Gettig followed with

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KILL THE MOSQUITO.

Now is the time to kill the mosquito. In North Carolina in August and September his brood seems to be larger than at any period of the Summer. While the mosquito is plentiful it pollutes the low damp places, marshes and swamps with its offspring and in turn the larvae produces a still larger stock of miserable pests.

All sorts of methods should be employed to get rid of the mosquito, which the doctors agree is the cause of transmitting malaria and making nervous wrecks of people. The Washington Post thus mentions one of the new methods and it may be worth while to try it:

"Dr. William Tell Kudlich has brought to the notice of the health board of Hoboken, N. J., a plan for exterminating the mosquito, which consists in planting mosquito infested tracts with arzolia. The plant is a native of Africa. In a short time it covers marshy and with a layer three inches thick, thus both suffocating mosquito larvae and preventing the living insects from depositing their eggs in the water."

The Post in urging the Washington authorities to make war on mosquitoes, goes on to say:

"Here is another suggestion that comes from the West Indies, and it is worthy of consideration in every State of the Union in which the ravenous little viperous insect makes incursion, and that not only includes every State and Territory, but Alaska also:

"'There is no malaria in the Barbados, because of the absence of mosquitos, which are eaten while still larvae by the beneficent profusion of little fish called "millions.'

"This fish they call millions is nothing but the excellent creature called stickleback in Mississippi and Arkansas, and that is known elsewhere as the sun perch. It has golden and reddish sides, and in some rivers grows to be as big as, and about the shape of, your open hand—a game little rascal and fine for the frying pan, from which he ought to be excused so long as there is one vicious mosquito in the entire world."

The arzolia method might be tried and we presume that the Department of Agriculture at Washington could give all needed information about it. If not, the Department has other approved and effective methods of exterminating the most vicious pest with which humans have to contend.

"THE STRANGER IN OUR GATES."

The above is the title of a well timed editorial in the Rockingham (N. C.) Post, and upon that subject our esteemed contemporary says:

"In our newspaper experience we have had occasion to make close study of industrial and social conditions in several towns and cities. And in everyone of them that was lacking in life and progress we found a spirit of distrust toward strangers. We could name one city in which the stranger gets the cold shoulder at every turn. If by dint of much labor and a lavish display of cash he wins a place for himself in the business circles of that city, he faces an insurmountable wall when he tackles the social side of life. "Blue blood" and "registered pedigrees," family trees and musty, mildewed traditions debar the stranger and his wife from the pleasures of social intercourse, and as a consequence he seeks other fields of endeavor. There are too many wide-awake communities waiting for the homeseeker and business builder, for the stranger to settle down in a town and spend the best years of his life trying to break down a cold wall of conventionality and social aloofness, the product of generations of mistaken ideals. The town that does not meet the worthy homeseeker half way is a dead one, deserves no lasting success, and will never be fit for real men and women to live in.

"We are truly grateful that Rockingham is awake to her wonderful advantages. We are glad that our people have a warm place in their hearts for the homeseeker and that the worthy stranger receives a real welcome in our midst. With that spirit prevailing Rockingham will continue to prosper."

The Post thus emphasizes the importance of the glad hand in making a town attractive and popular. It goes a long way to make new comers like a place when a town's people take them by the hand, give them a warm welcome and keep on being clever to them as long as they are in their midst. A clever people make a clever city and a clever city catches the people who are looking for a home amid pleasant surroundings. All classes of people can do something for their towns by courteous treatment of visitors and homeseekers.

"Col. Bryan regrets that he has no influence with Congress," says the Louisville Courier Journal. How could he expect to have any influence unless he were chairman of the refreshment committee of the lobyists?

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

Says the Savannah Morning News: "Thirteen years ago there were five rural free delivery routes in the United States; today there are upwards of 41,000 of them and the number is being constantly increased. Last year 20,000,000 people were served daily by this service. Ex-Congressman Watson, of Georgia, must feel pleasure in noting the great growth and prosperity of this child of his brain."

The Hon. Marion Butler, quondam Populist Senator from North Carolina, disputes the claims of the Hon. Tom Watson, of Georgia. The fact is that it is the product of the brain of neither. The rural mail delivery system has been in existence in Germany for at least a hundred years and probably longer in England. Either Watson or Butler may have been the first to spring the question in the United States, but it was tried out long before in Europe.

DEATH OF EDITOR THOMAS.

The Star is pained to record the death of Mr. J. A. Thomas, editor of the Franklin Times, published at Louisburg. After an illness somewhat prolonged he passed away on Tuesday night at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. Thomas was an editor and a newspaper man of unusual ability and success, and as a citizen he was a man of high type and great usefulness. He was a most loyal Democrat and his paper was a power in the good county of Franklin, where he was known of every man and greatly esteemed for his sterling qualities. He was all that the most generous eulogists of his community can say of him.

The Charlotte Evening News alludes to the Confederate reunion now going on in that city as "the greatest of all reunions." Whether it is or not that's Charlotte's way of looking through the spectacles when it's Charlotte that has anything on hand.

Senator Aldrich insists that the tariff has been revised downward, but Bradstreet's Index proves that since the tariff raised the price of necessities it makes the cost of living higher. By George, our old friend Aldrich has even fooled himself.

A Canadian's heart is said to have jumped from one side to the other. He must have suddenly come face to face with a North Carolina girl.

When a man thinks he is the whole cheese he would be disillusioned if he were to put in a season as an umpire for a minor league.

"Honesty is the best policy," says an old adage, but how could a man know that when he doesn't know what honesty is?

"Where does all the corn go?" inquires a contemporary. A little of it goes good around Wilmington.

We have been suspecting recently that the man in the moon is a mere moonshiner.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Mr. Aldrich still insists that the revision has been downward. But Bradstreet's Index shows that commodity prices have already risen substantially since the new tariff went into effect. The proof of the pudding is the chewing of the hag.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

—The Roosevelt trophies from Africa are to be made the chief and most attractive exhibit in the new $3,500,000 National Museum building in Washington. Was the building intended to be a setting for the Roosevelt trophies? If so, the public will understand the reason for the three and a half million expenditure on it. —Savannah Morning News.

—The second annual National Good Roads Convention is to be held in Cleveland, O., Sept. 21-23, inclusive. The Governors of twenty-five States and the Mayors of scores of cities have signified their intention of attending. Besides these delegates there will be several hundred others from all parts of the country. There is promise that the convention will be the largest of its kind ever held in this country.—Savannah Morning News.

—The advance guard of the Confederate veterans is in town for the reunion, which is to be held tomorrow and next day. On these two days Charlotte is going to entertain the noblest body of men in this or any other land. They are survivors of a war which was characterized by such fighting and by such deeds of bravery as has no counterpart in the history of the world, and the like of which is never again to be seen. Posterity will not again know a Gettysburg, a Chancellorsville, a Seven Pines, a Crater, or any one of a hundred other battles that were made into history by the armies of the civil war. The war in Cuba was a burlesque when compared with even some of the slightest skirmishes in which the Confederate troops were engaged. There were hundreds of skirmishes in which more men were killed than were killed in the entire Cuban campaign. The battles which the Confederate veterans fought in grim and deadly warfare, are well worth fighting over in times of peace—and the reunion affords the ocasion for this. They are the survivors of the last great war this country is to know.—Charlotte Chronicle, Aug. 24.

TWINKLINGS.

—Stella—"Have you got your going-away gown?" Bella—"Yes, and a going-home-to-mother gown."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—Traveler—I've been all over the world and I've met only two really beautiful women. Totty—And pray who was the other one?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"I see that one of our statesmen has said that the ultimate consumer is a myth. "Mebbe so, but I guess the bills he gets every month are the real things."—Detroit Free Press.

—"Were you ever in love?" asked the sweet young thing. "No," replied the bachelor, "but you can't mention any other fashionable disease that I haven't had."—Detroit Free Press.

—"Bliggins says his youngest boy is going to be a lawyer. "How can he tell?" "He has a gift of cross-examination. He asks questions that are simply calculated to embarrass people without caring two cents about the answers."—Washington Star.

—"Is your son doing anything during vacation?" "Yes. He's making money hand over fist selling a new fangled diary." "I shouldn'd think that there would be much money in that." "Every woman buys one. It has one page a day for what you do yourself and ten pages for what your neighbors do."—Puck.

—Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 24.—Mr. D. A. Hurley, charged with assaulting his wife, Mrs. Katherine Jordan Hurley, with a pistol several months ago at the apartments of the couple in the Buford Hotel, this morning submited and entered a plea of guilty in the criminal court and Judge James L. Webb fined the defendant $200 and the costs. He pays his wife the sum of $3,000. In the second case against Mr. Hurley, in which he was charged with disfiguring a building, the defendant also pleaded guilty and was taxed with the costs. The pleas of the defendant were entered before Judge Webb by Mr. R. G. Lucas, attorney for the deefndant, and the entire matter was disposed of in open court in a very short time. In fact, it was not generally known when the case would come up, and the abrupt ending of the matter today was unexpected. It was at one time believed that there would be a sensational hearing held and that the case would require several days in being disposed of, but today's action puts an end to the whole matter and Mr. Hurley, who has been a social leader here, is now a free man as to everything that the court might hold against him.

—Durham, Aug. 24.—Following the Rigsbee case this afternoon Attorney Buck Guthrie, representing Foster, and associate counsel S. M. Holton, of the State, a brother of the district attorney, engaged in a fight in the postoffice in which Mr. Holton received a bruised nose. Foster was chief witness for the State and has been convicted of retailing. Guthrie produced an affidavit four weeks ago in which it was alleged that the city attorney had promised him freedom upon testifying against his accomplices. Mr. Holton replied that the State would look after Foster. Mr. Guthrie replied that he desired to negotiate with a gentleman and didn't recognize Mr. ton in the case. The spat adjourned from the court room to the postoffice. There Mr. Guthrie asked Mr. Holton in the case. The spat adjourned marks and Mr. Holton replied warmly to him, whereupon Mr. Guthrie struck him on the nose and spat at him. They were separated by postoffice employes. The damage was slight.

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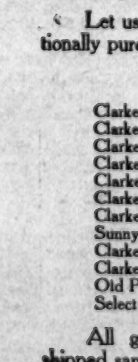

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On Lake Como, in northern Italy, is a little cluster of hotels and shops called Bellagio. The place is near the boundary line between two countries, in one of which French is spoken and in the other Italian. English Americans, French, Italians and Germans all meet here, and the lingual condition is similar to that at the famous tower of Babel. The hotel and shop keepers, boatmen and others are obliged to continually express themselves in one of three or four languages. French is the prevailing tongue, with English second and German third.

After having finished my education I decided upon a year's travel in Europe before beginning the practice of my profession, and that summer at the height of the Italian lake season I found myself at Bellagio. The hotel at which I stopped was on the very verge of Lake Como, the water plashing against its stone and marble porch. On the evening of my arrival I dined at one of the tables on this porch. The lake—or rather this portion of it—is surrounded by mountain peaks, which stand out in bold silhouette against the twilight. On the other shore, a couple of miles away, the lights of Cadenabbia were beginning to glimmer on the line between the mountain base and the lake.

At a table on my left sat a party some of the members of which were speaking Italian, others French. Among them was a beautiful Italian girl. They were drinking champagne and chatting merrily, while I sat alone, wishing that I might even understand what they said. One of the men addressed a remark to me in broken English. I met him more than halfway and was invited to join the party.

That night I dreamed of the Italian girl, Signorina Alicia Jaconti. I had carried on a spirited dialogue with her at the table, our language being one-tenth Italian, one-tenth French, one-tenth English and seven-tenths pantomime. Every one who knows anything about love knows that as a donkey feeds on thistles so love thrives on difficulties. A man may make love to any girl who speaks the same tongue as himself and go to sleep at the same time. There's no incentive in it. But when a fellow and a girl have but a few dozen words in common and must "scratch gravel" to make themselves understood the little god empties his quiver before them.

Well, the next morning I hired one of those delightful little boats with which Lake Como abounds, each furnished with a canopy and soft cushions, to say nothing of a boatman to do the work, and the signorina and I went for a "promenade," as they call it there, on the water. Perhaps you think there was nothing for the boatman to do but to row. Not much. He spoke French, Italian and English, the illiterate chump, while I, a college bred American, knew but one language. The signorina spoke French and Italian. So, you see, there were three tongues in the party. Before starting I slipped 4 lire into the boatman's palm. He thought it was to induce him to row fast. Not a bit. I had in view a different use for him. Besides, I didn't propose that he should make me and the girl ridiculous by telling people what it was. I wanted him for an interpreter.

As soon as we were off the signorina and I, leaning back on the cushions, renewed the struggle to communicate of the evening before. It ran like this:

"Eet is ver' bellisimo" (beautiful).

"Vous n'avez pas" (you have not) "aucun" (anything) "so bellissimo in Amerique."

"Not a woman in the country so beautiful as you," I replied in four languages and a superfluity of pantomime.

"Ah, m'sieur!" (Clasped hands, smiles, eyes turned upward.)

It wasn't long before I had found her hand (under a fold of her dress where the boatman couldn't see) and a current of language common to all people, felt, not spoken, ran between us with all the sprightliness of a bubbling brook. So for awhile we sat without speaking. The boatman jogged along over the smooth waters which splashed softly against the boat. The reflection of the mountains and the heavens trembling in the lake started me again.

"Votre yeux" (your eyes), I said. "Boatman, what's the French for reflect?".

"'Reflechit,' monsieur."

"Votre yeux reflechit les— What's the French for heaven?"

"'Ciel,' monsieur."

"Bully." Then to the girl, "Votre yeux reflechit les ciel."

"Ah, m'sieur!" The eyes went up and the hands were clasped.

Fortunately that all important word is much the same in several languages, all derived from the Latin. It is amor (love), amo (I love).

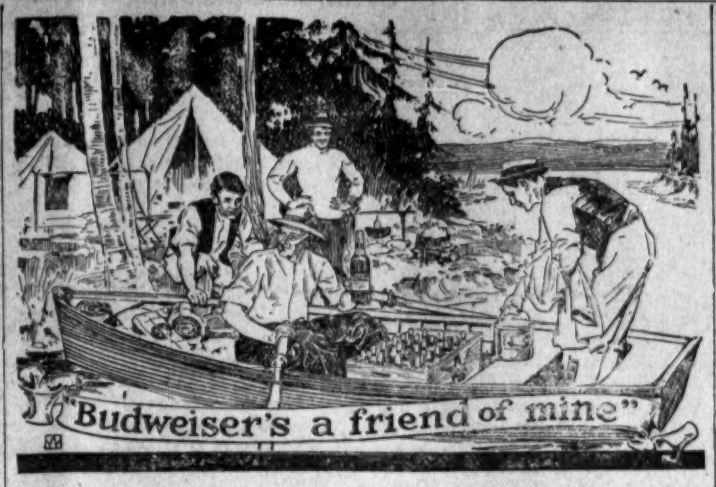
"Boatman," I began and stopped. I couldn't even bear to ask for a word at such a time. "Boatman," I began again, "what's that directly behind you?"

He turned, and I whispered with my lips close to hers:

"J'amo vo!" (I love you).

And so with one letter of French, one word of Latin and one of Italian I did the trick.

The signorina is now my wife and since she lives in America has been obliged to learn English. She considers it a harsh language and entirely unfitted for lovemaking.



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E. P. H. STRUNCK,
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The Morning Star.

Thursday, August, 26, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 26, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Wednesday, Aug. 25th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 84 degrees; 8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 84 degrees; minimum 66 degrees; mean 75 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 3.25 inches.

State of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A M. Tuesday 5.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Thursday, Friday, fair, light variable winds.

Port Calendar—August 26.

Sun Rises.....5:26 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:36 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 19 min.
High water at Southport 2:38 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 5:38 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Geo. O. Gaylord—10-Day Sale.

Business Locals.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. D. Batts, of Holly Ridge, Onslow county, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. B. R. King is spending a few days at Leland, Brunswick county, on a visit.

—Dr. J. G. Murphy returned yesterday from a visit of some days in Greensboro.

—Miss Sallie Fryar, of Turkey, N. C., was in the city a short while Tuesday on her way to Atlanta, Ga., to visit friends.

—Mr. E. B. Ike, of Savannah, Ga., who has been here for the past week on a visit to relatives, returned home yesterday.

—Mrs. N. F. Brandt and daughters, who have been spending the past two months at the Beach, have returned to their home at St. Augustine, Fla.

—Miss Mary Bell Fillyaw left yesterday morning for Weldon and Richmond, where she will spend several weeks with friends and relatives.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dunp, Morven; Nathan O'Berry, Goldsboro; Laughlin McNeill, Burgaw; C. D. Osborn, Oxford; J. G. McNeal, Burgaw.

—Greensboro Telegram, yesterday: "Miss Anita DeRossett, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Prudwick, left yesterday to spend a few days in Hillsboro before returning to her home in Wilmington."

—Archer Rock Dunning, Esq., a leading member of the Williamston, N. C., bar, is in the city and at the beach for a few days on business and pleasure. Mr. Dunning is pleasantly remembered in Wilmington as having formerly been of the law firm of Russell & Gore.

—Chief Charles Schnibben, of the Wilmington Fire Department, has returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., where he attended the annual convention of the International Fire Chief's Association, which he reports was a fine gathering and a big success in every way.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, Columbus county, was in the city last night. We regret to learn from Mr. Brown that his brother, Mr. Lee Brown, one of the most popular young men in the State, is in very bad health, and is now in Western North Carolina seeking relief."

—Among the Colonial Inn's recent arrivals are Mrs. J. W. Shadle and son, Burgaw; E. H. Walton and M. T. Klein, Jacksonville; C. W. Clark, Laurinburg; Mrs. St. George, Warsaw; Rev. Joseph Noble Starr and Mrs. J. B. Starr, Fayetteville; Miss Julia Cromartie, Garland; J. C. Arrington, Rocky Mount, and G. W. Davis, Warrenton.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Salvation Army will hold an open air meeting at corner of Fifth and Castle streets tonight at 8 o'clock.

—According to advices received here yesterday from Louisville, Ky., Mr. Edmond Price, Jr., who was stabbed Sunday by a negro, is getting along very nicely and has a splendid chance of recovery.

—Friends in the city of Dr. W. D. MacMillan will learn with regret that he is confined to his home, No. 414 Dock street, with an attack of fever and is quite sick. His many acquaintances hope for him an early recovery.

—In connection with the Longfellow trial an account of which was given in Wednesday's Star, it was erroneously stated that Mr. J. R. Elmore was among the number of witnesses from this city. Mr. Elmore is not among the number of witnesses.

At the Bijou Today.

"A Convict's Sacrifice" is the title of the picture that will be shown at the Bijou today. It is a pathetic story and shows that the poor unfortunate being is indeed a man in the highest sense of the word, though twice committed to prison for serious crimes. The subject is well acted with many tender touches that sink deep into the heart.

When Tired Out
Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate
It vitalizes the nerves and assists the digestion—refreshes and invigorates the entire system.

Tonight at Lumina.

Flag Dance at Lumina tonight. Don't miss it. **

"BLIND TIGER" CONVICTED

Thomas Divine, Colored, Fined $50 for Selling Whiskey—Appeal Taken—Another Negro Sentenced to Six Months for Assault.

Thomas Divine, colored, charged with selling whiskey to William Robinson, colored, on Monday, August 23rd, was the principal defendant in a rather lengthy session of the Recorder's court yesterday. He was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs or serve a term of 30 days on the county roads, from which he appealed to the Superior court. Bond was fixed at $200, in default of which he was recommitted to jail.

William Robinson, to whom it is alleged the whiskey was sold, swore positively that he had never purchased any whiskey from the defendant. Patrolman Frank George and Hall testified that they were nearby when the sale was made and saw the transfer. They saw Robinson buy a drink and later purchase a half pint of whiskey, which was exhibited in court. Another bottle of the same size and containing the same kind of whiskey, said to have been found in Divine's house, was also exhibited in court. The prosecution was represented by Marsden Bellamy, Jr., and the defendant by George L. Peschau and Walter P. Gafford, Esqs. The attorneys argued at length their respective sides of the case.

Rudolph, alias Arthur Walker, colored, charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon Allen Arnold, colored, on the 22nd of July, was found guilty and sentenced to a term of six months on the county roads. He took an appeal to the Superior Court, bond being fixed at $100, in default of which he went to jail. The case was sent up from Justice Harriss' court. George L. Peschau, Esq., who appeared for the negro at the preliminary hearing, announced before the investigation commenced that he had withdrawn from the case.

It was alleged that in a fight on the 22nd of July Walker struck Arnold a terrific blow on the head with a whiskey bottle, inflicting a severe wound. Arnold was carried to the hospital, where the wound was dressed.

John Nelson Jordan, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $10 and costs. In the event he doesn't raise the fine and costs he will go to the roads for 30 days. Charles Brinkley, colored, was found guilty of disorderly conduct and fined $5 and costs.

RECORD PEANUT CROP.

Best Ever Known in This Section of the State—Prices Are Good.

From reports from various farming sections received by local peanut dealers during the past few days there is every indication of an unusually good crop this season. In fact, a well known dealer yesterday stated that he believed it would be the best ever known in this section of the State. "The average yield will be easily 50 bushels to the acre," he stated," and in some sections far more."

The peanut growers throughout this section have a distinct advantage over growers in many other sections of Eastern Carolina, due to the fact that the soil is adapted to the growth of the North Carolina, Virginia and the Spanish peas, with almost an equal yield, while in other sections only one variety is usually raised.

Again referring to the bright prospects the dealer made himself authority for the statement that during the past year more peanuts have been planted than in any season before and more agricultural enterprise has been shown in their culture.

With the prevailing prices for good No. 1 North Carolina peanuts, which are selling at 75 cents a bushel, with the average yield referred to, a grower will receive $37.50 per acre. Spanish peas are selling at $1.10 and Virginias at 80 cents.

The dealer said that the peanut section in a radius of 50 miles of Wilmington will this year supply the large wholesale demand of the dealers here, while in past seasons they have partially had to depend on Virginia growers.

"THE SMART SET" TONIGHT.

Aggregation of Colored Artists Will be at the Academy.

Tonight the Academy of Music will offer its preliminary opening attraction in the well known and popular Smart Set, which is said to be the largest and most expensive colored show on the road. While the Academy will, of course, not appear in its most brilliant dress, yet it will be in good trim for a first-class performance and indications point to a big audience.

"The Smart Set" comes this season as an entirely new production, embellished with beautiful scenery and costumes and new and novel effects. The singing and dancing in this entertainment are well known features, and from the time the curtain goes up until its final fall there is a succession of popular melodies. As the singing is a feature of "The Smart Set," so also is the dancing. The eccentricities of such comedians as Salem T. Whitney and Homer Tuft are only made the more side-splitting by the graceful and pretty dancing of the ladies of the company, and the genuine buck and wing dances of the other artists. Seats are now on sale at Plummer's. The scale runs to $1.

The Crime Of Idleness.

Idleness means trouble for any one. Its the same with a lazy liver. It causes constipation, headache, jaundice, sallow complexion, pimples and blotches, loss of appetite, nausea, but Dr. King's New Life Pills soon banish liver troubles and build up your health. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

Consider

yourself and family, take a trip to the pier. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M., 15 cents round trip. jul 1 tf

The People's Savings Bank.

Make your deposits with this bank now, and your interest will begin September 1st. au 26-2t.

VIOLATION OF U. S. LAWS

Mr. W. J. Moore, Proprietor of Tarrymore Hotel, Arrested for Selling Whiskey—Preliminary Hearing This Afternoon.

A distinct sensation was created yesterday morning when United States Deputy Marshal C. O. Knox arrested Mr. W. J. Moore, the well known proprietor of Tarrymore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, on the charge of selling whiskey in violation of the United States internal revenue laws. The arrest was made at 11 o'clock at the corner of Front and Princess streets.

Mr. Moore acompanied the deputy marshal to the Court House, where United States Commissioner George Harriss was engaged as clerk of the Recorder's court, and arranged bond in the sum of $500 for his appearance before the Commissioner for a hearing at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Hon. John D. Bellamy becoming surety. Mr. Moore has retained Mr. Bellamy and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., as counsel and they will make a strong fight for their client.

The warrant upon which Mr. Moore was arrested was sworn out by Deputy Collector J. P. H. Adams, of Cary, who has been in Wilmington and vicinity for the past week or ten days making an investigation of the near-beer saloons and the arrest of yesterday may be followed by others within the next few days. The witnesses summoned to appear against Mr. Moore are among the most prominent men of the city, but whether or not the charge will be substantiated cannot, of course, be foretold. The offense charged is a serious one and carries with it severe punishment, the law providing for a fine of not less than $1,000, nor more than $5,000 or imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than two years, or both, in the discretion of the court.

The hearing before the United States Commissioner this afternoon will very likely be held in the United States court room, as there will doubtless be a large number of spectators. If probable cause is found the defendant will be bound over to the next term of Federal Court.

It is understood that Mr. Moore stated after the warrant had been served that if any whiskey was sold in the near-beer saloon run in connection with the hotel it was done without his knowledge.

In the event the Commissioner finds sufficient cause to hold the defendant for Federal Court it is probable the county authorities will cause a warrant to be issued for him for violating the State prohibition law. Action by the county authorities may be delayed, however, until after the final disposition of the case in the Federal Court.

MISS WILLIAMS TO ENTERTAIN.

Event at Lumina Tomorrow Evening. Daughters of Confederacy.

Tomorrow night at Lumina, Cape Fear Chapter U. D. C., will present Miss Louise A. Williams, of Augusta, Ga., a prominent entertainer in dialect stories of the old-time darkies, assisted by musical talent in the old Southern songs. The entertainment is entitled, "An Evening in the Old South."

Miss Williams has appeared on many chautauqua platforms and is highly endorsed by some of the most distinguished people of the country, among those being Gen. Clement A. Evans, commander of the U. C. V., Governor Joseph M. Brown, of Georgia, under the Georgia seal of State; Hon. William Jennings Bryan, and a valued autograph communication from Mrs. M. H. J. D. Hayes, daughter of ex-President Jefferson Davis and late Daughter of the Confederacy.

The Tidewater Power Company has generously agreed that the evening's returns will be turned over to Cape Fear Chapter to meet the expenses to be incurred in entertaining the State convention U. D. C., in Wilmington in October. Miss Williams has appeared in all of the large cities of the country and has met with enthusiastic and appreciative audiences everywhere she has appeared. While relating her plantation stories of pathos and humor she will be attired in a quaint costume designed by her mother and fashioned after the one worn in her mother's girlhood days; ruffled skirt over crinoline, old fashioned bodice in a quaint lace fichu and hair dressed after the period of young ladies of the sixties with curls over the shoulders.

Miss Williams' stories will be interspersed with the old love songs of the South. The evening will open with a medley of Southern airs. In the intermission between part one and two, an old Confederate flag will be unfurled to the strains of "Dixie Land."

STAGE CREW IS READY.

Organized Last Night for the Season at the Academy of Music.

A meeting of those who will compose the stage crew during the approaching season at the Academy of Music was held last night and an organization perfected for handling the scenery and the general management of the stage.

This meeting is held each year and more than the usual interest was manifested at the gathering last night owing to the fact that he stage has been completed, remodelled and new scenery will be used. Those in the crew are Messrs. James D. Mote, stage manager; Ed. A. Brown, assistant stage manager; Charles H. West, first grip; Herndon Jewell, second grip; Joe Williams, third grip; William Waters, properties; Tom Walker, stage doorkeeper; John Yates, first electrician; E. C. Yarbrough, second electrician; J. H. Burriss, house carpenter.

YOUR CAKE IS ALL DOUGH or at least it might as well be unless you use SAUER'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS

Tonight at Lumina.

Flag Dance at Lumina tonight. Don't miss it. **

Magnificent Showings
—OF—
Fall Silks
Enchantingly Pretty Weaves, Radiant With Autumnal Colorings

Beautiful as the mountain side when the Autumn sun shines on the trees and grasses of dull brown, green and gold, are the new silks for the coming season.

Rich messalines, taffetas and rough effects and every weave which Fashion has declared worth while is here at a tempting price. Silks which are correct in every detail.

There is a lot of humbuggery about silks. Many a beautiful sheen conceals a coating of lead, to give weight, which causes the fabric to cut with very little wear.

When you buy our silks you buy absolutely the best quality to be had. That is why among women of this vicinity our silks have such a recognized standard.

Choose the silks for the new dress from among these enticing values.

Extra Interest will Center in these $1.25 Messaline Silks, this week at $1.00.

Full yard wide in all the new shades. Exceptionally good value to start the season.

Trimmings to match are also here.

These consist of braids and Persian net bands. You'll like the quality.

Fruit Jars all sizes.

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

Few Mosquito Canopies left at a bargain.

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CASE WAS COMPROMISED

Herbert H. Porter Agrees to Pay $25 a Month and Criminal Action is Dismissed at Cost of Defendant. The eHaring.

Recorder Furlong held a special session of his court at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon to hear the case against Herbert E. Porter, a young white man, charged with abandonment and non-support of his young and newly-wed wife, having been removed to him from Justice Sykes' court.

At the close of an hour's conference of the attorneys it was announced at 4 o'clock that an agreement between husband and wife had been reached and the criminal action was therefore dismissed at the cost of the defendant, who agrees to pay his wife $25 a month for her support, and gave bond to guarantee a fulfilment of the obligation.

There were a large number of spectators in the court room to hear the testimony in the case had there been any. As soon as court convened the attorneys got together and held a conference with a view of adjusting the matter without going to trial. It took just an hour to reach an agreement. The prosecutor, Mrs. Bessie Raynor Porter, was represented by Hon. John D. Bellamy and C. D. Weeks, Esq., and W. P. Gafford, L. Clayton Grant, and Herbert McClammy, Esqs., of Wilmington, and H. L. Lyon, Esq. of Whiteville, appeared for the defendant.

Mr. and Mrs Porter were married at the home of Rev. C. F. Whitlock, who officiated, early on the morning of July 31, Mr. Porter coming to the city on the late Seaboard train and leaving during the day for Monroe, where he had headquarters. He is a fireman for the Seaboard Air Line. About a wee kago Mrs. Porter swore out a warrant in Justice Sykes' court, charging her husband with abandonment and non-support and the papers were forwarded to Monroe. Mr. Porter was arrested and detained until the arrival of Constable W. B. Savage, who brought him to this city. The preliminary hearing was continued until yesterday morning when the case was removed to the Recorder.

CARRIED TO GEORGIA FORT.

Fessar Will Serve Remainder of His Sentence—Went from Caswell.

Jessie Fessar, a deserter, captured in this section of the State some months ago and carried to Fort Caswell, where he has served 14 months of his time under court-martial, was carried through Wilmington yesterday by Sergeant Simpson and Corporal Riggs en route to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., where he will be turned over to the authorities at that post. It is also understood that Fessar was convicted by a court-martial for embezzlement and given three years, the remainder of which he will serve at the Georgia fort.

Fessar deserted from a Wseetrn fort and had been at large a year or more when he was caught. He was identified and captured by officers and as customary was carried to the nearest post, Fort Caswell, and held a prisoner until the Georgia post sent a guard for him. A reward of $50 was given for his arrest.

Raised 1,000 Bushels.

The peanut crop on the county farm this year has been very good and over 1,000 bushels have been raised for the market. The county teams were busily engaged all day yesterday hauling them to the city, and between six and seven hundred bushels of the yield were sold to J. S. Funchess & Co., on Water street, between Princess and Chesnut. They were of the North Carolina variety and sold at 73 cents a bushel.

POLICE IN BASEMENT.

Headquarters of the Department Moved to Old Place.

After spending three years "higher up" the police are again domiciled in the basement of the City Hall, occupying temporarily a room with the Naval Reserves. The Naval Reserves will later be given a room in another portion of the basement.

The transfer of the police department was made yesterday morning at the request of Mayor MacRae, who decided that the basement was undoubtedly the place best adapted for the police. The room will be comfortably fitted up and made one of the best in building, work on which will be commenced in a few days. The carpenters are now engaged in putting up a partition in the room formerly occupied by the police, cutting the room in half, one part to be used by the Board of Audit and Finance and the other by the Water and Sewerage Commission. It has not yet been decided what the room now occupied by the Mayor will be used for.

Captain George Smith, officer in charge of headquarters in the day time, was happy yesterday over the change. He spent a long time in the basement and never did like the upstairs office as well. "You are in a new place," remarked a visitor to Captain Smith. "No, you are mistaken. we are just home again," he replied.

VALUABLE PUBLICATION.

Seaboard to Issue Industrial Freight Shippers' and Buyers' Guide.

Mr. Stanley DuHadway, of the freight traffic department of the Seaboard Air Line, is in the city, gathering data for a very valuable publication shortly to be issued by his road to be known as the S. A. L. Railway's 1910-1911 Industrial Freight Shippers' and Buyers' Official Guide. The volume, which will be one of several hundred pages will present the territorial resources, manufactures and manufactured products, factory sites and buildings for all enterprises with maps, etc., advertising the various advantages of the several points which the system traverses. The book is issued by the General Freight Department of the Seaboard and no charge is made for the representations given. The Seaboard has been uniformly kind to Wilmington in all its exploitations and this latest evidence of the road's willingness to assist in the development of this port is much appreciated by the business interests of the city. The book will contain a mass of information and attractive illustrations about the Seaboard and the points which it reaches and it is hoped that the business men of the city will cooperate heartily with Mr. DuHadway in his efforts locally.

WILMINGTON UNION MEETING.

Begins at Barlow's Chapel Baptist Church Tomorrow.

Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, will leave tonight for Barlow's Chapel Baptist Church, Topsail Sound, Pender county, to attend the quarterly meeting of the Wilmington Union, which convenes there tomorrow morning with the moderator, Rev. A. C. Chaffin, presiding. Tonight Mr. Whitlock will preach a sermon on "The Importance of the Holy Spirit in Church Work." The general theme of the gathering will be the Holy Spirit. The meeting will continue through Sunday. An interesting programme, published in The Star several days ago, has been arranged for the meeting. Among those who will go from here tomorrow morning are Rev. J. A. Bryson, Messrs. W. L. Moore and D. L. Gore, from Brooklyn Baptist Church, and Mr. R. B. Moore from Southside.

GOWAN'S PREPARATION EXTERNAL ANTISEPTIC
For Sunburn, Mosquito Bites, Colds, Croup, Sore Throat, Asthma, Burns, Sprains, Bruises, Rheumatism, Swelling Reduces Fever. All Druggists, 25c. to $1.00.

RICHMON-MILLARD NUPTIALS

Popular Young Couple Were Married at Southport Yesterday.

The marriage at Southport yesterday of Miss Sallie Lou Millard, of this city, and Mr. John H. Richmon, of Columbus, Ga., will be learned with much interest by friends here and elsewhere. The couple are popular and well known, the bride being a sister of Mrs. A. M. Gilbert, and the groom a native of this State. The announcement of the marriage will be no surprise to their acquaintances.

Mr. Richmon arrived here Tuesday night from his home in Asheville and yesterday morning the couple decided to go to Southport, where the event was solemnized yesterday afternoon. Miss Millard is a popular and attractive young lady with a host of admirers.

The groom for some years has made his home in Georgia, where he is connected with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, at Columbus. On their return to Georgia they will be in this city today and will receive the happiest congratulations of their many friends.

FUNERAL OF MR. WREDE.

Services Held From Late Residence Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mr. Henry T. B. Wrede, whose death occurred Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. Martin Schnibben, 403 North Seventh street, was held from the late residence of the deceased at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. George S. Bearden, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, and thence to St. Paul's Church at 4:30 o'clock. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. There were a large number of relatives and friends present and there were many floral designs.

The pallbearers were: Honorary, Messrs. Julius Sternberger and W. H. Howe; active, Messrs. Martin Van Oesen, Carl Strunck, Martin Brunjes, William Mahler, John Gerken and C. F. Seitter.

PENDER FARMERS ENCOURAGED.

Crops of Corn and Cotton in That Section Are Fine This Season.

The section of Pender county which was practically devastated last year by the floods in the month of August, are said to abound in good crops this season and the farmers are greatly encouraged over the outlook. The corn and cotton crops particularly are very fine.

The flooded district extended over a wide area and is usually considered the best farming lands in that section and this caused the farmers to be so materially affected when their crops were washed away. The yield this year will be even larger than for several years past.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: D. G. Westbrook and wife, of Cape Fear township, to D. L. Gore, for $10, 62 acres of land in Cape Fear township on the Gordon road, near the bridge across Smiths creek; Doctor D. Benton and wife, to Mrs. Roberta L. Russell, for $2,500 and other considerations, lot on Campbell, 99 feet east of Fifth street, 133x250 feet in size; George Haar and wife to Lizzie McGowan Farrow, for $1,000 and other considerations, the valuable store building and lot on northeast corner of Chesnut and Seventh streets, lot being 66x69 feet in size; George Haar and wife to Solomon Sternberger, for $500 and other considerations, lot and buildings on Chesnut street, 69 feet east of Seventh street, the lot being 36 1-2x66 feet in size.

Dr. and Mrs. DeRosset Bereaved.

Friends of Dr. and Mrs. M. J. DeRosset, of Newark, N. J., will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of their daughter, Adelaide, which occurred on Aug. 18th, at the family home in that city. The funeral was private.

ON TO UTICA, NEW YORK

Fort Fisher Veterans Leave In Few Days for Reunion of Blue and Gray—Rev. J. A. Smith Issues an Appeal.

A large number of the veterans of Fort Fisher are expected to attend the big reunion of the Blue and Gray in Utica, N. Y., the second week in September. It is hoped that as many as 250 veterans and their friends will attend the reunion, leaving here on the evening of September 5th. Rev. J. A. Smith yesterday issued the following strong appeal to his comrades and the citizens generally:

"Only a few days remain until the Fort Fisher veterans and their friends will leave for Utica, New York, to attend the reunion of the Blue and Gray in that magnificent city. The citizens of Utica have made the most elaborate and expensive preparations to give their Southern comrades an elegant reception. The old veterans who wore the Blue have two objects in view in extending this cordial invitation to their Southern comrades and their friends. In the first place they desire to reciprocate the kindness and hospitality extended to them by the citizens of Wilmington and their Confederate comrades on the occasion of the grand reunion of the Blue and Gray January 14th and 15th, 1907. In the second place the veterans who wore the Blue desire that this coming reunion in Utica shall give a full and powerful expression to the movement to establish at an early day a National Park on the old battle field of Fort Fisher to perpetuate the memory of the great land and naval battle fought there 45 years ago. The old Latins had a motto "Carpe Diem" (seize the day), and this old Latin saying should remind the citizens of Wilmington that it is a moment of extreme crisis in the history of Wilmington and this entire section. If only a small delegation should go from here to Utica we are afraid that it would have a dampening effect upon the minds and hearts of our friends up North who are doing so much to help us. We sincerely hope therefore that many of our citizens will attend this reunion and carry their wives and daughters and lady friends.

"The writer of this article has been to Utica himself and knows all about the kindness and hospitality of the citizens of Utica and we predict that all those who go up there will exclaim with the Queen of Sheba, "The half has not been told." Some of the old veterans who desire to go don't feel financially able and in this connection we suggest that the citizens of Wilmington and New Hanover county imitate the example of the people of Oneida county, New York, and raise at once a fund to help their old soldiers go to this reunion. The people of Oneida county, New York, raised the money to pay the way of their soldiers down here who were not financially able to bear the expense of the trip. We hope our citizens will take up this matter at once and see that a strong delegation goes to Utica from here the evening of September 5th.

"At the meeting of Fort Fisher Veterans in Washington January, 1909, the sons of Fort Fisher veterans were made eligible to active membership and it seems as if this fact is not generally known, although it has been published by our secretary in the papers. We met today the son of a Fort Fisher veteran and told him to go at once to the office of our secretary, Mr. R. W. Price, and have his name enrolled. We hope that all who intend to go to Utica will send their names at once to Mr. R. W. Price for we must furnish our comrades in Utica at once at least an approximation of the number going. If there are any Fort Fisher veterans who desire to go and are not able to go and if they will send their names at once to the undersigned we will see at once if anything can be done to help them on.

"The time is short but wonders can be accomplished in a week. The National Park at Fort Fisher means more than the people of Wilmington have ever dreamed of and last but not least it means to perpetuate the valor of North Carolinians, who gave up their lives within Fisher's bloody gates in defense of their State and Nation. "JAMES A. SMITH.

"215 Walnut street. Phone 1483."

WANTED: 50 MEN AND WOMEN.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., the enterprising druggists, are advertising today for fifty men and women to take advantage of the special half price offer they are making on Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and get a fifty cent package at half-price, 25 cents.

So positive are they of the remarkable power of this specific to cure these diseases, as well as sick headaches and liver troubles, that they agree to refund the money to any customer whom this medicine does not quickly relieve and cure.

With Dr. Howard's specific at hand, you can eat what you want and have no fear of ill consequences. It strengthens the stomach, gives perfect digestion, regulates the bowels, creates an appetite, and makes life worth the living.

This is an unusual opportunity to obtain 60 doses of the best medicine ever made for half its regular price, with the personal guarantee of a well known business firm to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

If you cannot call at J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co's. store today, send them 25 cents by mail and they will send you a package promptly, charges paid.

Seared With A Hot Iron.

or scalded by overturned kettle—cut with a knife—bruised by slammed door—injured by gun or in any other way—the thing needed at once is Bucklen's Arnica Salve to subdue inflammation and kill the pain. It's earth's supreme healer, infallible for Boils, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

YACHTS IN RACE FOR TROPHY

First Regatta in Series for Walters-Jones Cup—Capt. Skelding Finished With Best Time—Carolina Yacht Club Boats.

A hundred yachtsmen and enthusiastic friends gathered at the Carolina Yacht Club yesterday afternoon for the first race of the series of three for Class A one-design yachts, owned by members of the Carolina Yacht Club, to decide possession of the handsome trophy presented by Mr. H. Walters and Mr. Pembroke Jones.

Save for a light wind from E. N. E. the conditions were ideal for yachting and the galley was given a treat. With ten starters, less than five minutes separated the first and last boats at the finish. By 2:30 o'clock the entire fleet was in the offing, two of them pot-leaded to the deck and their glistening black hulls contrasting oddly with the white hulls of the other competitors. The fleet was rigged as usual, save for a new sail on Commodore Worth's yacht.

The starting gun was fired at eight minutes past 3 o'clock, and nine boats went across in a body followed by No. 74, sailed by Mr. Skelding. Capt. Platt Davis, in No. 65, was ahead, pushed closely by Capt. Wiggins, in No. 66, and the other boats lined-up behind. The leeward run to the Inlet Buoy was without special incident. The yachts held well together. The run back to the Seashore buoy was quite different. Positions changed rapidly. The boats began to string out passing the club house, Capt. Davis was ahead, followed closely by Capt. Wiggins, then Captains Bridgers and Metts. The boats squared away down Mott's Channel and rounding on the starboard tack had a brisk thrash to windward back to the Seashore buoy. Several boats ran wide here and lost heavily, so that they rounded the buoy and started southward again in the following order: Capt. Davis, Capt. Wiggins, Capt. MacCrae, Capt. Hammer, MacCrae and Skelding were sailing finely and gaining rapidly. In the run down and back Hammer ad Wiggins lost much ground and were replaced by Metts MacCrae and Skelding were both crowding the leader, Capt. Davis. MacCrae was sailing a beautiful race and gradually crept up on Davis, though Metts and Skelding were close behind.

Davis finished first, followed by MacCrae, Metts and Skelding, all bunched, the others following well strung out. Calculation of the elapsed times showed that the race was won by Capt. Skelding by three seconds over Capt. Davis, with MacCrae third and Metts fourth. The next race of the series will be held at 5 o'clock P. M., Monday, August 30th. The time was as follows:

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65	.20	48.16	39.56
66	.20	50.06	41.43
67	.24	50.52	42.28
68	.23	49.13	40.50
69	.22	51.23	43.01
71	.23	48.45	40.22
73	.40	52.35	43.55
74	9.40	49.33	39.53

Bicycle Thief Arrested.

Charged with the larceny of a bicycle from E. Wright seevral days ago, Walter James, colored, was arrested on Market street at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Patrolman C. G. Jones. Mr. E. R. Pickard, a bicycle repairer, saw the negro with the bicycle and immediately telephoned to police headquarters. Patrolman Jones was detailed on the case and caught the negro with the "bike," which was identified by Mr. Wright as being the one stolen from him. The negro was unable to give bond and was lodged in the city prison.

Flag Dance Tonight.

The beautiful flag dance will be repeated at Lumina tonight. The decorations will be even better than at the last flag dance, a greater number of flags being used. Probably the largest crowd that ever attended one of these dances was on hand at the last flag dance, and an equally large crowd is expected for tonight. The same arrangement of playing the National airs and unfurling the National flags will be followed at the dance tonight with the Confederate flag as the crowning event.

WOMEN'S WOES.

Wilmington Women Are Finding Relief at Last.

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys and is endorsed by people you know.

Miss Maggie Rivenbark, 105 Dock St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I found great benefit through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. I suffered from constant, dull pains in my back and some days I could hardly get about the house. My kidneys were very weak and I was caused much annoyance by too frequent passages of the secretions. I used several remedies, but nothing gave me the desired relief until Doan's Kidney Pills were used. They proved to be just what I required and in a short time cured me so completely that my trouble has never returned."

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HOPE IS DEFERRED

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a single to right, but was out attempting second.

In the seventh Ross fanned, Brennan was out short to first, Kite flew to short. In Goldsboro's half Doak hit to Wysong and was safe at first; Smith flew to short, Stubbe fanned but Doak stole second; Pritchard hit for another double to left and Doak scored, Kelly ending the tragic period by flying to Jayes.

Jayes led the eighth by fouling to third; Wysong fanned, Nichols singled to left and Guerrant walked, Levy being sent in to bat for Smith but he was out second to first. In Goldsboro's half Lohr was sent to right in place of Smith and Epler was safe on error of short, being sacrificed by Sharp after which Crockett was out to short and Gettig to left.

Brodie gave a ray of hope in the ninth by getting transportation after which Ross flew to left and Brennan was safe on hit to short, but Kite sent another one into the same territory and it was turned into a fast double, retiring the side.

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 25.—The last game here was sensational. Goldsboro made a triple and three double plays. The Giants were the only team in the league last season also to pull off a triple play. The pitching of Pritchard, the batting of Pritchard, Doak and Stubbe and Doak's catch of Ross' liner, were features. Pritchard drove in five of the eight runs and scored one himself on Kelly's single. Only three of Wilmington's scattered hits were clean hits and one of these should have been fielded.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Kelly, 2b	5	0	1	3	3	0
Epler, cf	5	0	2	2	0	1
Sharp, ss	3	0	2	1	4	0
Crockett, 1b	5	0	0	12	3	1
Gettig, 3b	5	0	2	2	2	0
Doak, lf	4	4	4	1	0	0
Smith, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Stubbe, c	4	2	2	4	2	0
Pritchard, p	4	1	4	1	3	0
Totals	38	8	17	27	17	2
Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Nichols, 1b	4	0	2	4	2	0
Guerrant, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Smith, rf	3	1	1	3	1	0
Lohr, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brodie, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sharp, ss	1	0	0	0	1	1
**Ross, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	0
Brennan, 2b ss	3	0	1	2	1	0
Kite, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Jayes, lf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Howard, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Sexton, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Wysong, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Levy	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	5	24	10	1

**Ross batted for Sharp in fourth.
*Levy batted for Smith in eighth.

Score by Innings.

Goldsboro .....041 020 10x—8 17 2
Wilmington ....000 100 000—1 5 1

Summary: Earned runs, Goldsboro 7; Wilmington 1; stolen bases Guerrant, Smith (Wilmington); sacrifice hits, Sharp (Goldsboro), Smith, (Wilmington); two-base hits, Doak, Stubbe Pritchard 2, Ross; three-base hit, Pritchard; hits off Howard five in 1 1-3 innings; Sexton eight in 3 2-3 innings; Wysong four in three innings; Legal at bats off Howard 10, Sexton 17, Wysong 11; struck out, by Pritchard 4, Howard 1, Wysong 3; base on balls, off Pritchard 4; hit by pitched ball, Brennan; passed ball, Kite 1, Stubbe 1; left on bases, Wilmington 6, Goldsboro 9; double plays, Stubbe to Crockett to Stubbe; Kelly to Sharp to Crockett; Sharp to Crockett; triple play, Pritchard to Crockett to Kelly to Gettig; time 1:42; umpire Thompson; attendance 700.

Goldsboro League Meeting.

All efforts yesterday to get at what was done at the meeting of the Directors in Goldsboro night before last were fruitless, the only information officially given out being that there was nothing for publication. The Fayetteville Observer asked the Goldsboro Argus for a report of the meeting and received the following, which was published yesterday afternoon:

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 25.—After an all-night session, the directors of the Eastern Carolina Baseball League were unable to reach a decision in the part of Rocky Mount laying down to Wilmington, although the evidence was sufficient as to the accusation.

The Fayetteville-Wilson forfeited game was again awarded to Wilson. Raleigh was awarded the money in forfeiture game with Fayetteville, played in Raleigh.

Rocky Mount was ordered to pay Raleigh the amount due on a forfeited game.

Luyster, the Fayetteville pitcher, was declared ineligible, and it is likely the games will be forfeited to the teams he pitched against.

The Observer says that the money referred to as having been awarded to Raleigh was $52 which Capt. Napier, owner of the Club, kept out of Raleigh's share of the gate receipts at Raleigh because Raleigh would not give Fayetteville any of the receipts of the game which was previously forfeited in Raleigh when so many men were put out of the game that Fayetteville could not continue to play. The Observer says that Luyster has pitched five games for Fayetteville, two against Raleigh and won both; one against Goldsboro won; two against Wilson, won one and lost one. Nothing was said of the game in with Rocky Mount in next to the last which Luyster played of the series here and won the game. Luyster then playing in the field under the name of Lloyd. In response to a telegram sent last night to Manager Gwaltney in Goldsboro for an authentic statement from the meeting of the League Directors, Capt. Dick Smith, of the Wilmington team sent the following:

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 25.—Meeting called at 10 P. M. News and Observer reporter knocked out in first round by the owner of the Rocky Mount club with a left hook to the jaw, Raleigh compelled to pay Fayetteville guarantee for forfeited game at Raleigh. Business over everyone shook hands and had booze party. Meeting over at 6 A. M. DICK SMITH.

Split Even at Wilson.

Wilson, N. C., Aug. 25.—The season closed in Wilson this afternoon when a doubleheader was pulled off with Fayetteville. Score:

Fayetteville ....000 100 000—1 6 2
Wilson .....120 000 00x—3 7 1

Hallman and Gilmore; Buckingham and Gilmore; umpire Johnson; time 1:40.

Fayetteville ....000 040 013—8 8 1
Wilson .....200 000 000—2 5 7

Walters and Galvin; Buckingham and Gilmore; umpire Johnson; time 1:40; attendance 1,000.

Close at Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 25.—The last Raleigh game of the East Carolina League season, played today, was witnessed by about 700 people. It was a close contest in which Rocky Mount was victorious 1 to 0. Star work was by Ogara, who played second and first base and out of eight chances made not a single error. Score.

Raleigh .....000 000 000—0 3 2
Rocky Mount ...001 000 000—1 7 4

Waymack, Conn and Walsh; Fulenwider and Rowe; umpire Watson.

"MORNING AFTERS."

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After lifting ten straight.

Which, with a crippled over-worked team, ain't bad at all.

Orie Brodie was caught red-handed between third and home in the fourth, and was choked before checking in.

Our stay at the top was short—but nevertheless sweet! And we're not but two points behind this morning.

First Howard ballooned, then Sexton essayed a flight, and Wy-almost succeeded in deserting things mundane.

Pritchard, Goldsboro's fast twirler, reversed his usual performance and made the Sailors look like land lubbers.

The Kilties were slaughtered in the first, but turned the tables on the Tobacconists in the last, taking the series three out of five.

There's all sorts of reports of the happenings at the Goldsboro Directors' Meeting, but nothing authentic has been announced as yet.

Jayes, Guerrant and Brodie enjoyed constitutionals as the guests of Mister Pritchard, while the Wilmington servers didn't amble a man.

Looks like Nichols was playing an individual game for the locals, with his record of three hits. Chin's swatoptic must have had blood in it.

Yesterday was aviation day in Goldsboro, and the aeronautics exhibited by the Sailors must have made the spectators think they were on French soil.

Ross, batting for Sharp in the fourth, pecled off a double; and though Levy was run in to try to help even the score, nothing could stem the Giants' timber onslaught.

Bugler Boy was synonomous for Pritchard, for that young speed merchant corraled a slashing three-bagger and a pair of doubles as his share of the swatfest. Stubbe was a close second with three singles (while Doak and Gettig worried along with two apiece.

Picnic at Castle Haynes.

The Star was in error yesterday in stating that the picnic to be given today at Rocky Run Farm, near Castle Haynes, was for the public. Invitations to the picnic were issued and only those invited are expected. The outing promises to be a delightful one for all who are so fortunate as to be able to be present.

Good Samples.

Mr. Hepworth had been married five times "and happily every time," as he often said. His first marriage had occurred when he was nineteen and his last at the age of seventy. His last wife was a sensible woman, some years his junior, who survived him when he died at the age of seventy-nine.

During his last illness Mr. Hepworth made various plans for his wife's remaining years and talked them over with her in a matter of fact way.

"You'll have plenty o' money to travel, Ellen," he said one day, "and you like it, which I never did. Why don't you take a trip down into Connecticut? There are good folks there, and you'd enjoy yourself. I never went."

"How do you know about the folks when you've never been there?" inquired Mrs. Hepworth mildly.

"Stands to reason," said her husband. "The heft o' my wives come from Connecticut—three of 'em, all fine women. If business hadn't kep' me in Massachusetts, Ellen, I don't doubt my last choice would 've been made down there, though I haven't got a single regret, mind you!"—Youth's Companion.

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"No," said the old man kindly, "I don't, and you haven't, but I can't stand this constant strain upon my confidence and credulity. It isn't on your account, but my own, that I am compelled to part with you."—Liverpool Courier.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—High Point Enterprise: John H. Hedgecock was in town Saturday and he informed The Enterprise that P. Lorillard and friends who bought a farm from Mr. Hedgecock some time ago had decided to build a hunters' lodge this fall to cost about $4,000.

—Winston-Salem, Aug. 24.—Mr. D. T. Steadman, in many respects a remarkable man, died at his home, near Germantown, last night as a result of a stroke of apoplexy. His age was 92 years. He has always been remarkably active and was out driving yesterday.

—Durham, Aug. 24.—Wilson Hinson, a colored tailor and clothes presser, was killed this morning near Apex, while riding on top of an excursion train on the way to Goldsboro. The colored man seems to have crawled out on top and fallen off. He was about thirty years old and lived in the Hayti settlement.

—High Point Enterprise: Chief Ridge made a raid on Matt Holt's house Saturday night and caught him "red-handed" with a large vial of cocaine. There was no indication that he had been selling it, but the recorder held him on a charge of vagrancy. Matt had enough cocaine to keep drugged two months. He said a colored man who hails from Danville, gave it to him at Charlotte.

—Winston-Salem, Aug. 21.—Two colored drug clerks in recorder's court today were fined for technically violating the law by selling cocaine to a colored woman. Dr. J. A. Christian, colored, also gave $600 bond for appearance Friday, charged with giving prescriptions for cocaine to colored women, having neglected to date them. Lou Johnston, a middle-aged white woman, was sent to jail for 30 days for selling liquor.

—Greensboro Record: Charlotte is acting just like a village. The grand jury last week condemned the jail and ordered the county commissioners to build a new one. In this county the commissioners built a new one before the grand jury could act and even then there was almost a riot among some of the taxpayers who declared the county was wasting the money. But the work was all completed and paid for without raising taxes a cent.

—Elkin letter to Winston-Salem Sentinel: Work on the Elkin & Alleghany Railroad is progressing nicely during this fine weather. There is only about four miles of grading to be done at this end of the line, when the roadbed will be ready for the ties and rails to the foot of the Blue Ridge. When this road is completed to Sparta and a road from Winston-Salem via Yadkinville to connect with it here, one of the best sections in the State will be opened up and as fine paying road as can be found anywhere.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Aug. 24: There died a few days ago at Neuse a young negro by the name of Henry Cannady, 29 years old, weighing 303 pounds and nearly six feet tall. The negro had worked for Capt. W. G. Allen, but had gone to Durham, where he was taken ill with typhoid feevr, and died on his return to Neuse. His father works for Capt. Allen, who had much difficulty in finding a coffin here for the negro, the lining having finally to be taken out of one to get the body into it so large was the negro.

—Salisbury Post: S. H. Kane & Co., of New York, have awarded the contract to build a handsome structure on their lot, corner Main and Bank streets ,to the Central Carolina Construction Company, of Greensboro. The structure is to be 58 by 126 feet and two stories high. The first floor will consist entirely of storerooms while apartments consisting of nineteen sleeping rooms will occupy all the second floor space. These rooms will be finished in red birch or mahogany. The building will cost $52,000.

—Statesville, Aug. 24.—There was a double wedding at 'Squire P. B. Kennedy's, in Engle Mills township, a few evenings ago, the principals being Miss Denia Myers and Mr. Joseph Myers, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Myers, who live about a mile from Net postoffice, and Miss Eva Goodin and Mr. Azar Goodin, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Goodin, of the same neighborhood. The four young people "took the floor" at the same time and by the solemn mariage ceremony performed by Mr. Kennedy, Miss Myers became the bride of Mr. Goodin and Miss Goodin became the bride of Mr. Myers.

—Asheboro, N. C., Aug. 24.—In the case of S. Morgan Smith Company, against the Rockingham Power Company and Knickerbocker Trust Company, cross complainant against the Rockingham Power Company, W. H. Browne and W. A. Leland, as receivers, and the S. Morgan Smith Company, an informal hearing was held today before Judge Pritchard on the rule issued by him to parties in interest to show why the sale of the power company's hydro-electric property to D. H. Thomas, representing the reorganization company, should not be confirmed. Counsel for the parties in inteerst substantially agreed on the terms of the decree to be signed.

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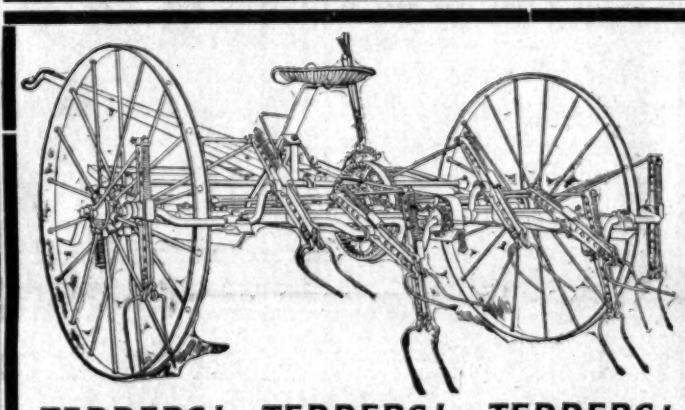

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Schedule.
On and after June 1. 1909, Steamer Wilmington will leave her wharf daily* at 9 o'clock A. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 2:20 P. M. for Carolina Beach. *Sundays leave at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 7:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach.
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:26 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Via Wilson Daily.	Daily
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:24 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	3:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

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Daily Except Sunday.

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Ar. Newbern	6:50 pm	Lv 9:30 am

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Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.
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No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.
No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 82 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.
TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:26 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.
No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
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Lv. Petersburg	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	1:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 54 cents.

ROSIN—Market steady $2.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $1.90 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $1.75 per barrel for hard; $3.50 for dip, and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.70 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	47
Rosin	133
Tar	72
Crude Turpentine	53

Receipts, same day last year 20 casks spirits turpentine; 104 barrels rosin; 21 barrels tar; 16 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales, same day last year 2 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 22d.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 25 and 26 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 12 1-2c; green, 9c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 78 cents and $1.00 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—After a slight early decline the cotton market rallied and ruled much firmer during the afternoon on rumors of a bullish National Ginners' report and more bullish private crop advices from the eastern belt. The close was very steady at a decline of three points to an advance of one point, and right afterwards the market showed a net loss of from 4 to 7 points on active months under scattering liquidation and local bear pressure inspired by indifferent cables and reports of better weather in the southwest. Sellers showed little disposition to operate aggressively on a scale down, however, and after a narrow and irregular middle session the market became more active, as well as decidedly firmer on the talk of a National Ginners' report showing under 66—some claiming that it would be 64, or even with the low record of 1902—and bullish private crop reports from parts of Alabama, Georgia and the Carolinas. Early sellers covered on the advance which carried prices 6 to 10 points net higher, and last prices were close to the top. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally unchanged, while reports reaching the local trade as to the offerings for early new crop shipment are too conflicting to exert much immediate influence on sentiment.

The Texas detailed reports showed little precipitation at a number of points in that State and considerably lower temperature with the forecast calling for partly cloudy weather, with showers in the southern part of the State. Many of the private wires from the eastern belt predict increased new crop receipts in the near future.

Rceipts at the ports today 3,648 bales, against 2,817 last week and 9,801 bales this year. For the week 25,000 bales against 14,397 last week and 71,498 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 177 bales, against 1,033 bales last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet 10 points higher; middling uplands 12.85; middling gulf 13.10.

Futures opened steady and closed very steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
August	——	12.44
September	——	12.36
October	12.25	12.35
November	12.25	12.35
December	12.25	12.36
January	12.25	12.34
February	——	12.34
March	12.29	12.35
April	12.35	12.35
May	12.28	12.36

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 1,656; stock 20,152.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 3-8; net receipts 177; stock 50,785.

Mobile—Nominal, 12 1-2; net receipts 36; stock 1,668.

Savannah—Steady, 12 1-16; net receipts 1,580; stock 11,760.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts 10; stock 884.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 156.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 76; stock 3,128.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-4; stock 1,189.

New York—Quiet, 12.85; stock 93,677.

Boston—Quiet, 12.85; net receipts 90.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.10; net receipts 23; stock 2,252.

Total today, at all ports, Net 3,648; Great Britain 200; France 8,271; Continent 2,500; Stock 185,654.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 17,282; Great Britain 1,694; France 8,393; Continent 3,260; Mexico 548.

Total since Sept. 1st., at all ports, Net 9,943,560; Great Britain 3,485,922; France 1,048,135; Continent 3,515,710; Japan 200,539; Mexico 37,068.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Firm, 12 1-4; net receipts 5,599; stock 22,677.

Augusta—Steady, 12 5-8; net receipts 157; stock 3,202.

Memphis—Easy, 12 1-4; net receipts 5; stock 8,120.

St. Louis—Steady, 12 3-8; net receipts 60; stock 11,613.

Cincinnati—Stock 11,995.

Louisville—Firm, 12 3-8.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12.00; net receipts 39; stock 2,554.

Total today—Net receipts 5,860; gross receipts 6,188; shipments 5,358; sales 741; stock 60,161.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(Br Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Aug. 25.—Spot cotton in fair demand, prices one point higher. American middling fair 7.27; good middling 6.91; middling 6.73; low middling 6.55; good ordinary 6.29; ordinary 5.94. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales including 7,500 American and 500 for speculation and export. Receipts 1,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet and steady. August 6.62; August and September 6.52 1-2; September and October 6.47 1-2; October and November 6.46; November and December; December and January; January and February 6.45; February and March; March and April 6.44 1-2; April and May 6.44; May and June 6.43 1-2; June and July 6.43; July and August 6.41 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—The dry goods market holds steady and moderately active. The jobbers are doing a healthy business. A sale of 10,000 pieces of broadcloth is announced to take place next week. Spot trade in silks is quiet. The cotton goods and cotton yarn markets continue to be influenced largely by the cotton market and the inability to secure prices on manufactured products in keeping with the price of raw material.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, August 25.—With the return of Mr. E. H. Harriman and his positive avowal that no immediate distribution of "melons" to holders of Union Pacific-Southern Pacific securities is contemplated, a change seemed to come over the spirit of Wall Street's speculative dreams today. It would be puerile to deny that many in the financial district were prepared for other news than that given out by the magnate. While his bullish views on the country and his plans for new construction, development and expansion find a hearty echo in conservative quarters, there is nevertheless keen disappointment, largely among the professional element that the chief incentive for forcing the Harriman stocks to higher prices has gone for a time at least. It eliminates the most important failures which have accompanied, when they have not actually propelled, the recent outbursts of enthusiasm.

Quite as important as Mr. Harriman's return to the scene of his greatest activities is the victory gained yesterday by the Western railroads over the Inter-State Commerce Commission in the Missouri rate case.

From Pittsburg came advices of a further resumption of work at the steel mills in Ohio, while large sales of pig iron at higher prices were reported.

Opeing sales of stocks reflected nervous and unsettled conditions, the greatest losses being incurred by the Harriman group.

First declines gave place to some firmness before the end of the first hour only to be followed by another dip which sent the list lower than before.

Towards the final hour a sudden spurt brought substantial betterment all around.

The bond market was heavy throughout. Total sales par value were $3,533,000. There were no changes in United States Government bonds. The total sales of stocks today were 1,011,800 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—Money on call steady at 2 1-4 to 2 1-2, ruling rate 2 1-2, closing bid 2 14; offered at 2 1-2. Time loans somewhat easier, sixty days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., and ninety days 3 1-4 to 3 1-2 per cent. Five and six months 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-4 to 4 3-4. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in beankers' bills at 4.8540 to 4.8550 for sixty day bills, and at 4.8695 for demand. Commercial bills 4 84 3-4 to 4.85. Bar silver 51 1-4. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	100 3-4
U. S. 4s reg	116 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-2
U. S. 4s reg	116 1-8
U. S. 4s cou	118
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	95 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	100
Seaboard Air Line 4s	90
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 2d 5s	106 1-2

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	85
Amer. Car &Foundry	66 3-4
Amr. Cotton Oil	73
Amr. Locomotive	60
Amr. Smelting & Ref	101 3-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	130 1-2
Atchison	118 1-8
Atchison pfd	104 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	137
Baltimore & Ohio	116 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93
Chesapeake & Ohio	81 3-4
Chicago Mil. & St. Pau	156 3-4
Colorado & Southern	53
Erie	35 7 8
Erie 1st pfd	54
Erie 2nd pfd	43 1-4
Great Northern pfd	152 1-2
Kansas City Southern	48 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	74
L. & N.	153
Northern Pacific	155 3-8
Pennsylvania	139 3-4
People's Gas	116 1-2
Reading	160 3-8
Republic Steel pfd	105 1-2
Rock Island Co.	39 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	77 1-2
Southern Pacific	134
Southern Pacific pfd	——
Southern Pacific	131 1 2
Southern Railway	30 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	71
Standard Oil Co	702
Union Pacific	295 1-2
Union Pacific pfd	106 1-4
U. S. Steel	76 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd	125 1-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	48 1-8
Westinghouse Electric	86 1-2
Western Union	74 1-3

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—Flour about steady with a moderate jobbing trade.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 1.07 nominal elevator; No. 2 red 1.10 1-8 f.o.b. afloat. Options 1-8c advance to 1-4c decline. Sept. 1.07 1-8; Dec. 1.02 7-8; May 1.03 7-8.

Corn—Spot easy; No 2, 80 1-2 nominal elevator and 81 delivered old; No. 2 new, 63 3-4 f.o.b. afloat. Options 3-4c net lower. Sept. 75; Dec. 66.

Oats—Spot unsettled; mixed new 41 afloat, nominal.

Lard—Barely steady.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow and Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.61. Refined—Steady.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 8 1-2 to 12. Futures steady at a net decline of 5 points on August but generally unchanged to 5 points higher:

Butter—Steady; process common to specials 22 to 25 1-2.

Cheese—Steady; State full cream good to prime 13 3-4 to 14 1-4; do common to fair 11 to 13; skims full to special 14 to 14 1-4.

Eggs—Irregular, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Weaw under liquidation and increasing reports but steadied later in support from leading September longs and speculative buying of late months. Sales were 5,900 barrels. August 5.46 to 5.50; prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 5.29 to 5.35; prime white 5.25 to 5.99; prime winter yellow 5.85 to 5.99.

Potatoes—Steady; Southern sweets 2.50 to 3.50.

Cabbages—Quiet; Flat Dutch per 100, 1.50 to 3.00; do nearby per barrel 75 to 1.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Weak cables and continued liberal receipts in this country caused a fresh break in wheat prices on the board of trade today, but buying by shorts resulted in a recovery of almost all the loss. Corn and oats closed weak, and provisions steady.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open	High	Close
Wheat.			
Sept ..	97 1-2	97 3-4	97 5-8
Dec. ..	94 1-8	94 3-8	94 1-8
May ..	97 7-8	98 1-8	98
Corn.			
Sept ..	65 7-8	66 1-2	66
Dec. ..	55 5-8	56 1-4	55 7-8
May ..	56 3-4	57 1-2	57
Oats.			
Sept ..	36 3-4	36 3-4	36 5-8
Dec. ..	36 3-4	36 3-4	36 1-2
May ..	39 3-8	39 3-8	39 1-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Sept ..	22 55	22 55	22 45
Jan. ..	17 70	17 82 1-2	17 57 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Sept ..	12 15	12 27 1-2	12 10
Oct. ..	12 12 1-2	12 22 1-2	12 05
Nov. ..	11 70	11 85	11 70
Jan. ..	10 37 1-2	10 47 1-2	10 32 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Sept ..	11 80	11 87 1-2	11 77 1-2
Oct. ..	11 52 1-2	11 65	11 57 1-2
Jan. ..	9 35	9 37 1-2	9 25

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 25.—Turpentine firm, 59; rosin steady.

Charleston, Aug. 25.—Turpentine quiet, 55. Rosin quiet. Quote: A B C 3.20 to 3.25; D 3.40; E 3.70 to 3.75; F 3.80 to 3.85; G 3.85 to 3.90; H 4.20 to 4.25; I 4.45; K 5.25; M 5.55; N 5.65 to 5.75; W G 6.25; W W 6.60 to 6.90.

Savannah, Aug. 25.—Turpentine firm, 55 1-4 to 55 1-2; sales 668; receipts 746; shipments 499.

Rosin firm; sales 2,257; receipts 2,- Quote: Btaoshrdl etaoishrd lthtata 122; shipments 833; stock 147,905. Quote: B 3.20; D 3.40; E 3.75; F 3.80 to 3.85; G 3.85 to 3.90; H 4.25; I 4.45; K 5.25; M 5.35; N 5.65; W. G. 6.25; W. W. 6.50 to 6.90.

MARINE

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 25, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 28 barrels tar; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—4 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—16 casks spirits turpentine; 2 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—17 casks spirits turpentine; 68 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 29 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—11 casks spirits turpentine; 33 barrels rosin; 26 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—47 casks spirits turpentine; 133 barrels rosin; 72 barrels tar; 53 barrels crude turpentine.

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BASE BALL

National League.

New York, Aug. 25.—The New Yorks made five hits off Maddox in the second inning today and these, coupled with a pass and a wild pitch, gave them three runs and their second victory in this series over Pittsburg. The score was 3 to 2. Phillippe, who succeeded Maddox, did not allow a run. Mathewson pitched effectively for the locals.

Pittsburg	100 001 000	2	6 0
New York	030 000 00x	3	8 1

Maddox, Phillippe and Gibson; Mathewson and Myers.

Boston, Aug. 25.—Boston won a heavy hitting game from St. Louis today 9 to 8. The visitors had a good lead, but bunched hits and the wildness of the St. Louis pitchers in the last two innings gave Boston the victory. The batting of Becker and Coffee featured.

St. Louis	511 000 100	8	11 2
Boston	210 000 051	9	14 2

Salle, Raleigh, Bachman and Bresnahan; Richie, More, Matern and Graham.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—Bunching hits and taking advantage of Chicago's errors gave Philadelphia a victory over Chicago today in a quickly played game. Sparks had one bad inning when Chicago made a double and a triple, but othewise he was effective.

Philadelphia	200 000 11x	4	6 2
Chicago	020 000 000	2	7 3

Sparks and Dooin; Brown and Archer.

Brooklyn, Aug. 25.—Fromme had the Brooklyns hypnotized today, allowing only three hits and shutting them out, 2 to 0, a reversal of yesterday's score.

Cincinnati	000 020 000	2	6 2
Brooklyn	000 000 000	0	3 2

Fromme and Roth; McIntyre and Bergen.

American League.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Boston and Chicago played a 4 to 4 tie in nine innings today. The game was called on account of darkness after it had been played in a drizzling rain.

Chicago	010 100 200	4	8 0
Boston	110 000 011	4	9 0

Scott and Owen; Karger, Wood, Clcotte and Carrigan.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—St. Louis shut out New York today 1 to 0 in ten innings. Powell was outpitched by Brockett, St. Louis making only four hits, but the visitors had eleven men left on bases. The run was scored on Williams' double, a passed ball and Powell's sacrifice fly.

St. Louis	000 000 000 1	1	4 1
New York	000 000 000	0	0 10 1

Powell and Stephens; Brockett and Sweeney.

Cleveland, Aug. 25.—Washington beat Cleveland 6 to 5 in ten innings. Perring's muff of Goode's throw was responsible for the deefat. Uuglaub and Schaefer, of Washington, were sent from the grounds for protesting the umpire. For a time Manager Cantillon refused to replace them and the game was delayed until the umpire threatened to forfeit it.

Cleveland	200 000 100 1	5	10 2
Washington	000 002 0002	6	12 5

Rhoades, Berger, Joss and Clarge and Bemis; Johnson and Slattery and street.

Detroit, Aug. 25.—In another seesaw contest Detroit took the second game from Philadelphia today by a score of 4 to 3. The winning run was made in Detroit's half of the ninth, after the visitors had tied it up in the first section. Moriarity's single, Tom Jones' infield out and Stanage's line hit to center sent in the deciding score. Plank was steady throughout, while Donovan was wild, but strong in pinches. None of the errors figured in any way in the scoring.

Mack's men had the bases filled with no one out in the first inning and again with one out in the fifth, but could not count.

Detroit	001 000 021	4	10 0
Philadelphia	000 001 101	3	9 3

Donovan and Stanage; Plank and Livingstone. Time, 1:55; Umpires Connolly and Keerin.

Southern League.

At Mobile 1; Birmingham 0.
Second: Mobile 1; Birmingham 4.
At Atlanta 1; New Orleans 0.
At Mobile-Memphis, not scheduled.
At Little Rock 1, Montgomery 6.
Second: Little Rock 4, Montgomery 3.

South Atlantic League.

At Augusta 4; Savannah 1.
At Columbus 2; Macon 2. (11 innings, darkness).
At Jacksonville 0; Chattanooga 3.

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg 3; Danville 4.
At Roanoke 3; Richmond 4.
At Portsmouth 4; Norfolk 1.
Second: Portsmouth 4; Norfolk 2.

Carolina League.

At Charlotte 4; Anderson 6.
At Spartanburg 5; Greenville 18.
At Greensboro 6; Winston 1.

Detroit Takes First Place.

Detroit, Aug. 25.—By winning this afternoon from Philadelphia, 4 to 3, the Detroit team broke the tie for first place in the American League pennant race and took undisputed possession of the lead with a percentage of .626. The deefat places Philadelphia nine points behind.

TRAGEDY AT THOMASVILLE, GA.

Quarrel Between Lumber Men Resulted in Murder.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Thomasville, Ga., Aug. 24.—Thomas Arnold was shot and killed by W. H. Windon just before daybreak today near Boston, this county, following a quarrel between the men yesterday. Arnold, it was said, had threatened to beat Windon and the latter took out a peace warrant for him. Yesterday as Windon was on his way to a saw mill in which both were employed, he met Arnold, who it is said, attacked him. Windon thereupon shot Arnold, killing him almost instantly.

September 2nd.

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AMMON'S DEATH MYSTERY.

Pennsylvania District Atorney Short in Accounts—Suicide Believed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

York, Pa., Aug. 25.—District Attorney William L. Ammon, of this city, died today under circumstances which indicate suicide, but the physicians who examined the body declare death was caused by heart disease.

An official examination of his accounts with the Standard Building and Loan Association, made by request of the State Banking Department, reveals a shortage covering a period of 15 years.

Last night Ammon purchased a pound of cyanide of potassium, but no indication of his having taken a dose of the drug was discovered by the doctors.

"I am more than ever convinced that District Attorney William L. Ammon died of an affection of the heart," was the statement made tonight by Coroner J. E. DeHoff, who has been investigating the mysterious death of the well-known York attorney. Unless the family demands it, there will be no autopsy nor an inquest held.

It cannot be learned tonight the definite amount of Ammon's shortage with the Standard Building and Loan Association, but it is said that it will probably reach $50,000.

ARGUMENT IN THE BANK CASE.

Began Yesterday In Asheville Fraud Trial—Evidence All In.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 25.—Evidence in the Breese-Dickerson trial was closed today by both government and defendants and the argument of the case begun. It is probable that the case will go to the jury with the charge of Judge Newman Friday afternoon. The feature of the case today were the testimony of former Deputy Comptroller of the Currency George N. Coffin, who was called to rebut the testimony of Major Breese. That Coffin was aware years ago of the practice and character of notes in the bank the definite ruling by Judge Newman that no consideration should be given to any account of any legal comptroller's office, the court stating that if defendants had wilfully and knowingly violated the law it was immaterial whether the comptroller or the President of the United States or any one else knew or approved of it.

MAN'S LOVE GIVES WAY TO AVARICE.

Philadelphian Broke Engagement to Inherit Small Fortune.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—In order to comply with the terms of his brother's will, which required him to remain a bachelor, William Taggart, of this city, announced today that he would give up an intended marriage and will thereby receive a legacy of $15,000 and valuable ranch lands in California.

Taggart made the announcement after he had received word of the bequest from an attorney in Calejo, Cal. The estate originally belonged to an uncle who died many years ago, leaving the property to David S. Taggart, a brother of William, on condition that he remained unmarried.

The brother died last week at Calejo and he passed the estate to William provided that the matrimonial restriction was observed.

—Raleigh News and Observer: Lake Mattamuskeet is to be officially looked at and investigated tomorrow, and there left here yesterday a contingent of State officers to do this. In the party were Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, State Auditor B. F. Dixon and Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner. Going also to see the lake and the country it is proposed to drain was Mr. Josephus Daniels editor of the News and Observer. Governor Kitchin is already in eastern North Carolina and will join the party at Washington today. Attorney General T. W. Bickett will go today and be with the party. The State officials are going to investigate conditions as to the drainage of the lake and the Mattamuskeet Railway, in both of which the State has an interest. Today the party will go from Washington to Belhaven by automobiles over the suggested route of the Mattamuskeet Railway from Washington to Belhaven. Tomorrow it will go around Lake Mattamuskeet in automobiles and at noon will take part in a drainage conference at Swan Quarter. After this Governor Kitchin will return to Scotland Neck to be with his family, who are visiting relatives, and the others of the party will return to Raleigh on Thursday night.

Remarkably high speed was made by the torpedo boat destroyer Flusser in her contractors' preliminary trial i na run off the Rockland course last week. The vessel scored 31.3 knots per hour, her contract requirements contemplating 28 knots. Without examining the records the officials say they believe this to be the fastest speed ever made by an American naval torpedo boat destroyer.

Anvils Date, Back of History.

The anvil was known in the earliest times, being spoken of in the Bible, the prophet Isaiah saying (chapter 47, verse 7), "So the carpenter encouraged the goldsmith, and he that smootheth with the hammer, him that smiteth the anvil." It is not known who first used it, but of course the anvil of antiquity was unlike that of today as perfected by modern workmanship. The anvil still used in the orient, however, is a boot shaped piece of metal inserted in a section of oak or walnut log. Larger or smaller it is used by tinsmiths, shoemakers, silversmiths and blacksmiths. The anvils used in this country are commonly made of cast iron faced with steel and are of parallelopiped form, with a steel cone or beak at one end and a "handy hole" for inserting chisel or other tools at the other end.—Boston Globe.

Tonight at Lumina.

Flag Dance at Lumina tonight. Don't miss it. **

The Suspicions of Charles Reade.

Wealthy men are often abnormally suspicious of tricks. The celebrated author, Charles Reade, was one of this kind. He always imagined he was being robbed and set traps to catch the thieves. When he became lessee of a certain theater he suspected that his ticket office cheated him by letting in the public for anything they could get and keeping the money. So Reade turned up the collar of his overcoat, pulled his hat down over his eyes and shuffled up to the box office as the people were going in. He shoved a half-crown in the box office keeper's hand and whispered: "It's all right—that's for you—I don't want a ticket. Just pass me though." The clerk ran out, seized Reade by his coat collar and was passing him roughly into the street when he recognized his "chief."—London Graphic.

Strange Behavior.

A mirth provoking scene once took place in the palace of a former Duke of Hamilton. The duke had invited one of his neighbors, a plain spoken laird, to stop at the palace for luncheon after the conclusion of a business transaction. The laird was not used to the luxuries of life and watched with an impatient eye the flittings about of a liveried servant, who seemed to be everywhere at once, anticipating the laird's wants in a way that struck the rustic as positively uncanny. At last the guest turned deliberately about in his chair and addressed the servant in a tone of considerable irritation.

"What are ye dance, dance, dancing about the room for, man?" he demanded. "Can ye no draw in your chair and sit doon? I'm sure there's enough on the table for three."—London Standard.

The "Halbard."

Halbard is the arms carry'd by the serjeants of foot and dragoons; the head of the halbard ought to be a foot or fifteen inches long; one end ought to be hollow to receive the staff, but the other broad, ribb'd in the middle, edg'd on both sides and drawing to a point, like the point of a two edged sword. On one side of the head is likewise fixed a piece in form of a half moon or star, and on the other a broad point of four inches long, crooked a little, which is very commodious for drawing fascines, gabions or whatever obstacle happen in the way. The staff of the halbard is about five feet long and an inch and half in diameter, made of ash or other hard wood. Halbards are very useful in determining the ground betwixt the ranks, and for dressing the ranks and files of a battalion, and likewise for chastising the soldiers.—Gentleman's Directory, 1705.

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